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GOLD

Ex Jonathan P. Rosen Collection

1. **UNCERTAIN CITY IN IONIA**, 625-600 BC, EL Stater, 14.28g, Weidauer-138-140. Obv: Forepart of bridled horse left, with loose mane. Rx: Rectangular incuse in center, flanked by square incuse to either side. Ex Jonathan Rosen Collection. Only three staters recorded by Weidauer in 1975. This was not one of them. Planchet defect at 12h, otherwise sharply struck for issue. EF. 14750
2. **IONIA, UNCERTAIN MINT**, c. 6th century BC, EL Hekte, 2.38g Cf. SNG vonAulock 1786, and Lanz 147 (2009), lot 91. Apparently unpublished. The star-shaped reverse punch is attested with the bull on obverse, but hitherto only with the bull facing left. Obv: Head of bull right. Rx: Star-like pattern within incuse. Ex Gemini X, 13 January 2013, lot 103. Ex Jonathan Rosen Collection. A new type among the numerous Milesian-weight electrum issues that cannot yet be attributed to mints. The abundance of types has made scholars wonder whether private persons or associations (bankers, temples, dynasts) were the issuers rather than civic mints. However, one has to keep in mind that among early Greek coinages many had constantly changing types (Cyzius, Phocaea and Mytilene continued this in later times), and so the complexity of early Greek electrum coinage does not imply a multitude of little mints. The image of this coin, the bull, is a powerful symbol that was used by the Lydian king Croesus, the Samians, and the Poseidoniens in the West. EF. 3250
3. **IONIA, PHOCAEA**, 400-330 BC, EL Hekte, 2.50g Bodenstedt-97. Obv: Head of Pan 1. Rx: Four-part incuse. VF. 500
4. **LESBOS, MYTILENE**, c. 377-326 BC, EL Hekte, 2.56g Bodenstedt-Em. 90. Obv: Head of young Dionysus right, hair bound by an ivy wreath. Rx: Frontal mask of bearded Satyr with animal ears and shaggy hair, within square linear frame. Satyr's left eye filled in as a result of die break. Good VF. 750
5. **PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY II**, Struck under Ptolemy II, c. 253/2, Mnaseion (Octodrachm), 27.63g SNG Cop-134 var. (different symbol), Svoronos-476. Obv: Head of Arsinoe II r., wearing diadem, stephane and veil, behind A. Rx: AΠEINOHΣ - ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ Double cornucopia bound with fillet. EF. 11500
6. **ARSINOE II, WIFE OF PTOLEMY II PHILADELPHOS**, Mnaseion or One-Mina Piece (formerly Octodrachm), Alexandria, Struck under Ptolemy II (253-246 BC), 27.72g Troxell, Arsinoe's Non-Era, Museum Notes 28 (1983), Group 3, pl. 7.4, Svoronos-476, pl. XV, 15. Obv: Head of Arsinoe II r., wearing diadem, stephane and veil, behind A. Rx: AΠEINOHΣ - ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ Double cornucopia bound with fillet. Hair above ear flatly struck. EF. 12000
7. **PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY IV**, 221-204 BC, Alexandria, c. 217 BC, Mnaseion or One-Mina Piece (formerly Octodrachm), 27.76g SNG Cop-196, Svoronos-1117. Obv: Radiate and diademed bust r. of deified Ptolemy III wearing aegis with ibex resting on his shoulder. Rx: Radiate cornucopia bound with royal diadem, regal title around. Around the time of the Fourth Syrian War, Ptolemy IV had these gold coins struck in memory of his father, to commemorate the great victories over the Seleucids in the Third Syrian War. Previous to the battle in order to promote victory, the Queen, Arsinoe III, promised two gold minae for each soldier if the Ptolemaic army was successful. Following the victory, as recorded in the Rapiia Decree, one-mina coins of this type were undoubtedly given. Some flat striking at the high points of the crown, otherwise lustrous. Choice EF. 13750
8. **ACHAEMENID EMPIRE: TIME OF XERXES II TO ARTAXERXES II**, Darius I-Xerxes II, 420-375 BC, Daric, 8.35g Carradice Type IIIb. Obv: Kneeling running king r. with bow and spear. Rx: Irregular incuse. Very complete including king's crown. EF. 3950
9. **ACHAEMENID EMPIRE: TIME OF XERXES II TO ARTAXERXES II**, Darius I-Xerxes II, 420-375 BC, Daric, 8.33g Carradice Type IIb, Gp. G. Obv: Kneeling running king r. with bow and spear. Rx: Irregular incuse. Minor flatness on king's beard, but complete including crown. EF. 3750
10. **MACEDONIA, PHILIP II**, 359-336 BC, Pella Mint II, c. 340-328 BC or c. 336-328, Stater, 8.59g Le Rider-187 (D92/R138). Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ Fast big r., cantharus under horses. Extremely sharp details. Lead horse's nose on reverse flatly struck. Virtually Mint State. 5350
11. **PHILIP II**, Abydos, c. 359-336 BC, Stater, 8.58g Thompson-104a, SNG ANS-301. Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ Fast big r., star and MO monogram below horses' forelegs. Ex Heritage 3026, 25 September 2013, lot 23054. Posthumous issue struck under Philip III. This is a very rare issue, not in Le Rider. Mint State. 5750

12. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, c. 323-319 BC, Stater, 8.61g Price-2114. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. with long curls and wearing a Corinthian helmet. Rx: Nike standing l. holding wreath in outstretched arm; monogram in outer l. field and double ex in inner r. field; legend ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ r. Mint State. 4500
 13. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, c. 323-319 BC, Stater, 8.59g Price-2114. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. with long curls and wearing a Corinthian helmet. Rx: Nike standing l. holding wreath in outstretched arm; monogram in outer l. field and double ex in inner r. field; legend ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ r. Mint State. 5500
 14. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, Lifetime-early posthumous issue, 326-321 BC, Stater, 8.52g Price-3258-9, 3261. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r., griffin on helmet. Rx: Nike standing l., holding wreath, date to r. of her feet, off flan on this example. Ex Goldberg 75, 24 September 2013, lot 2423. Virtually Mint State. 4500
 15. **SELEUCUS I Nicator, ALEXANDER TYPE**, 336-323 BC, 312-281 BC, Babylon I, the "Imperial" Workshop, Series I, to c. 300 BC, AV Stater, 8.58g SC-81 8, Price-3715. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena in crested Corinthian helmet ornamented with coiled serpent. Rx: ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ Nike standing l. holding wreath and stylis, l. and r. of her legs respectively, monogram MP in wreath and HP. Of superb artistic style. Mint State. 5500
 16. **MACEDONIA, PHILIP III**, c. 323-317 BC, Stater, 8.60g Price-P30. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ Nike standing l., holding wreath and stylis, monogram MH over cornucopia in l. field. Extremely beautiful, especially the reverse. Mint State. 5500
- Only Portrait of Alexander in Gold**
17. **MYSA, PERGAMUM**, Mysa, Pergamum, c. 334 BC, AV Stater, 8.59g SNG Paris 1557 = De Luynes Coll. 2493 v. Fritze, Die Münzen von Pergamon, pl. I, 7 (Berlin specimen) = Mørholm, EHC 268 U. Westermarck, Notes on the Suda Hoard (IGCH 1508), NNA (1979-80), p. 28, nos. 36-37 (Berlin and Paris specimens). Gubenkian Coll. 699 = Jameson Coll. 2580. Obv: Head of youthful Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress knotted round neck. Rx: Archaisic Palladon to front, wearing calathos on head, raising spear in r. hand and holding on l. arm shield adorned with a star, from which hangs a fillet ending in a monogram. In the l. field, crested Corinthian helmet to r. Ex Gemini VII, January 2011, lot 477. Ex Dr. Patrick Ten Collection. This is the only portrait of Alexander the Great in gold which also shows the famous Palladon on the reverse. Extremely significant and very rare. Less than 20 specimens exist of which a good number have the face of Alexander off the flan. Mint State. 63500
 18. **ZEUGITANIA, CARTHAGE**, 310-270 BC, EL Stater, 7.12g Jenkins-Gp. VI, 325. Obv: Head of Tanit l., wreathed with grain, wearing triple-pendant earring and collared necklace. Rx: Horse standing r., on exergal line. Good VF. 2250
 19. **INDIA, KUSHAN EMPIRE, VASUDEVA II**, 290-310 AD, Dinar, 7.72g Obv: Vasudeva standing facing head l., flames on shoulder, sacrificing over altar and holding filleted scepter, to l., filleted trident. Rx: Ardoksha seated facing on throne, holding filleted investiture garland and cradling cornucopia in l. arm, above, tamgha to l. Mint State. 1500
 20. **JULIUS CAESAR**, Rome, struck by A. Hirtius as praetor, 46 BC, Aureus, 8.06g Cr-466/1, Sear Imperatores-56, Syd-1017, Calico-37, C-2 (50 Fr). Obv: C CAESAR - COS. TER Veiled female head (Vesta?) r. Rx: A HIRTIIVS PR Priestly implements: lituus, pater, ax. Probably struck for Caesar's quadruple triumph in August 46 BC, when he distributed the sum of 5000 denarii to each of his soldiers plus 100 denarii a man to the populace of Rome. Some minor old edge scrapes, especially at 9h, 11-12h, and 4h on reverse. EF for issue. 5500
 21. **BRUTUS, CIVIL WAR**, Istrus, 44-42 BC, Stater, 8.33g Rx: Athena seated. In the name of Lysimachus, bearing portrait of Alexander III the Great. This is the image of Alexander with the long nose that led people to believe mistakenly that these are issues of Mithradates. If they were, issues from other mints would have these same Mithradatic characteristics, which they do not. There are even issues from Istrus that do not have any characteristics of Mithradates. Thus these are Civil War issues of Brutus struck at the cities he controlled. This example is far better than most. Choice Mint State. 1450
 22. **AUGUSTUS**, 27 BC-14 AD, Hispania Tarraconensis (Caesaraugusta), c. 19-18 BC, Aureus, 7.85g BM-317, pl. 62 (same rev. die), Paris-1280, pl. LI (same rev. die), Bahrfeldt-125 (15 spec.), Calico-249, C-206 (45 Fr.), mistakenly omitted from the second edition of RIC I, p. 43. Obv: CAESAR / AVGVSTVS across lower field between two upright laurel branches. Rx: OB / CIVIS / SERVATOS in three lines within oak wreath. This aureus shows three of the chief honors voted to Augustus by the Senate in

- 27 BC: the name Augustus, two laurel trees left and right of the door to his home to indicate that he was always victorious, and the oak wreath "for saving the lives of his fellow citizens." This historically significant issue is struck on an extremely broad flan. It has an edge knock at 7h on the obverse as well as two small scratches between the trees. Otherwise handsome and impressive. Good VF. 7750
23. **TIBERIUS**, 14-37 AD, Lugdunum, Aureus, 8.46g BM-40, Paris-17, C-15 (40 Fr), RIC-27 (R2), Calico-305, Giard, Lyons-145, Obv: TI CAESAR DIVI - AVG F, AVGSTVS Laureate head; Rx: PONTIF - MAXIM Livia as Pax seated r. holding reversed spear and branch, feet on footstool, chair legs ornamented, double line below chair. These dies are not illustrated in Giard's book on the earliest coinage of Lugdunum. Excellent portrait of Tiberius. Beautifully centered with a significant amount of luster. Near Mint State. 9500
- Nero and Poppaea**
24. **NERO**, 54-68 AD, Rome, 64-5 AD, Aureus, 7.30g BM-52, C-42 (60 Fr), Paris-199, RIC-44 (R2), Calico-401, Obv: NERO CAESAR - AVGSTVS Head laureate r. Rx: AVGSTVS - AVGSTA Nero and Poppaea standing l. beside each other, Nero is togate and radiate and holds patera and scepter, Poppaea is draped and veiled and holds patera and double cornucopia. Ex Goldberg 75, 24 September 2013, lot 2579. The figures on the reverse can hardly be Augustus and Livia, since neither is called divine. They must be Nero and his consort, and the issue date of the coin requires that the consort be Poppaea, who was made Augusta when she gave birth to a daughter in 63, and who died in 66. See Mattingly in BMC, p. clxxiii. The authors of the standard catalogues do not seem to have noticed that Poppaea sometimes holds a double rather than a single cornucopia in this type, as clearly on our coin. This is Nero's most entertaining issue, showing not only an excellent laureate portrait of Nero on the obverse, but also his radiate togate figure with his unfortunate wife Poppaea standing next to him on the reverse. Choice EF. 12500
- Third Recorded**
25. **ANTONINUS PIUS AND MARCUS AURELIUS**, Rome, 140-4 AD, Aureus, 7.23g Strack-112 (St. Petersburg only with this obv. type), Calico-1724 (same dies), obv. bust var. of BM-153, RIC-417d, and C-19 (60 Fr). Obv: ANTONINVS AVG - PIVS P P TR P COS III Bare-headed, draped, cuirassed bust r. of Antoninus Rx: AURELIUS CAESAR AVG PII F COS Bare-headed, draped, cuirassed bust r. of Marcus Ex Stack's, Bowers and Pontiero 173, NYC, 12 January 2013, lot 2048. Rare with this bare-headed bust of Antoninus on the obverse. Strack knew only one such aureus, in St. Petersburg, and Calico publishes another, from the same die pair as ours, from a private collection. Pleasant dynastic issue of Antoninus Pius and Marcus Aurelius, with a rare bare-headed bust type of Antoninus. While worn, this coin has no significant defects and some pleasant cabinet toning. VF. 6000
- Third Recorded**
26. **FAUSTINA I**, Rome, 138-140 AD, Aureus, 7.21g Strack-402, pl. VI (Sofia only, same dies as ours), C-157 (Tunx, 60 Fr), BMC-132 note, RIC-337, and Calico-1779 all cite Cohen only. Obv: FAUSTINA - AVGSTA Bust draped; Rx: CONCORDIA - DIA AVG Concordia standing r. holding scepter and cornucopia. A very rare reverse type for Faustina I, this being perhaps only the third recorded specimen, after the one in Sofia recorded and illustrated by Strack, which is from the same dies as ours, and the one in Tunx reported by Cohen, with the slight error that Concordia is said to be standing front rather than with her head turned right. CoinArchives Pro contains our specimen from the Stack's Bowers sale, but none others. An unusual lifetime reverse type of Faustina I, occurring only on rare auri, not on denarii or bronze coins. aVF / VF. 4000
- Possibly only Fourth Recorded**
27. **GORDIAN III**, 238-244 AD, Rome, 243-4 AD, Aureus, 4.88g RIC-164 corr., C-326 (Caylus, 80 Fr), Calico-3232 (same dies), Obv: IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: SECVR - IT PERP Securitas standing l. with legs crossed, leaning on column and holding scepter. A rare late aureus of Gordian III, reported by Cohen only from the Paris collection before the great theft of 1831, as published by Caylus. Only one specimen in CoinArchives Pro and one in Berk photofile, both from the same reverse die as ours; another specimen illustrated by Calico is from the same dies as ours on both sides. Not in Glasgow or in the Montagu, Mazzini, or Biaggi Collections. Pleasant well struck portrait of Gordian. Very Nearly Mint State. 8500
28. **CONSTANTIUS II**, 337-361 AD, Antioch, 355-361 AD, Solidus, 4.35g RIC-172 (20 Fr), Calico-3232 (same dies), Depuyrot-12/L, officina E-5, p. 277 (2 spec). Obv: D N CONSTANS TIVS P F AVG Large head r. wearing pearl diadem, Rx: GLORIA - REI - PVBLICAE Roma and Constantinian seated holding wreath encircling legend VOT / XXXX between them, ANTE in exergue. Ex Heritage 3026, Long Beach, 25 September 2013, lot 23445. Very light old hairlines on neck of emperor. Large bold handsome portrait. Pleasant VF. 1800
29. **VALENS**, 364-378 AD, Nicomedia, 364-7 AD, Solidus, 4.38g RIC-2d(R), mintmark 6, Depuyrot-18/3 (p. 268, 17 spec. with this mintmark), C-32 (25 Fr). Obv: D N VALENS - P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: RESTITVTOR - REIPVBLICAE Emperor standing l., head r., holding labarum marked XP and Victory on globe who extends wreath towards him, SMNM in exergue. Mint State. 3000
30. **ARCADIUS**, 383-408 AD, Sirmium, 395-7 AD, Solidus, 4.31g RIC-1 (R3), Depuyrot-32/L (1 spec. from officina I=10), Obv: D N ARCADII - VS P F AVG Bust diademed r. Rx: VICTORI - A AVG I Emperor standing r. holding vexillum and Victory on globe, placing foot on chest of bearded captive lying before him, mintmark S - M across field, COMOB in exergue. Ex Goldberg 72, 5 February 2013, lot 4629 (Hunter Collection). Depuyrot records only one specimen of this solidus from officina I. Kress Sale, 30 June 1964, lot 959. Mint State. 2750
31. **HONORIUS**, 393-423 AD, Milan, c. 395-402 AD, Solidus, 4.50g RIC-1206g, Depuyrot-16/2, p. 171 (577 spec.), DO-712, C-44 (20 Fr). Obv: D N HONORI - VS P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: VICTORI - A AVG G Emperor standing r., placing l. foot on legs of seated and bound bearded captive, and holding labarum and Victory on globe, COMOB in exergue, M - D in field. Ex Goldberg 72, 5 February 2013, lot 4630 (Hunter Collection). Mint State. 2000
32. **HONORIUS**, 393-423 AD, Ravenna, 402-23 AD, Solidus, 4.46g RIC-1287 (S), Depuyrot-7/L (p. 188, 763 spec.), C-44 (20 Fr). Obv: D N HONORI - VS P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: VICTORI - A AVG G Emperor standing r., placing l. foot on groin of bearded captive seated l. on ground with hands tied behind back, and holding labarum and Victory on globe, COMOB in exergue, R - V across field. Somewhat softly struck on reverse. Virtually Mint State. 1500
33. **HONORIUS**, 393-423 AD, Constantinople, c. 403-8 AD, Solidus, 4.44g RIC-201, Depuyrot-73/L. Obv: D N HONORI - VS P F AVG Helmeted, pearl-diademed and cuirassed bust facing three quarters r., holding spear and shield with horseman and enemy motif. Rx: CONCORDI - A AVG H Constantinian, helmeted, seated facing, head r., on throne ornamented with lions' heads, holding scepter and Victory on globe, r. foot on prow, in field left, eight-rayed star, in exergue, CONOB. Mint State. 1500
34. **THEODOSIUS II**, 402-450 AD, Constantinople, c. 441-450 AD, Solidus, 4.31g Depuyrot-84/L, RIC-293, Berk-9 var. (star in l. field), Obv: D N THEODOSI - VSPF AVG Helmeted facing bust, pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed, spear over r. shoulder, on l. arm decorated shield with horseman riding down enemy. Rx: IMP XXXXII COS - XVII PP Constantinian enthroned to l., holding cross on globe and scepter, by the throne a shield, star in l. field, COMOB in exergue. Mint State. 1350
35. **EUDOCIA**, 421-441 AD, Constantinople, c. 423-42 AD, Tremissis, 1.47g DO-463, RIC-281, Depuyrot-72/2. Obv: AEL EVD D - CIA AVG Diademed and draped bust r. Rx: Cross within wreath, CONOB* in exergue. Ex CNG 63, 21 May 2003, lot 1556. Absolutely beautiful portrait. Unusually well-struck for issue. Mint State. 1750
36. **MARCIAN**, 450-457 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.20g RIC-510 (S), Berk-24, MIRB-5b, Retto-217. Obv: D N MARCIA - NVS P F AVG Helmeted bust facing diademed, cuirassed, spear in r. hand held over r. shoulder, on l. arm decorated shield, horseman rides down enemy on shield, Rx: VICTORI - A AVG G Z (officina 7) Victory standing l., supporting long jeweled cross, in r. field, star, in exergue, CONOB. Several small hairlines in obverse field. EF. 1600
37. **LEO I**, 457-474 AD, Constantinople, c. 457-73 AD, Solidus, 4.36g Berk-13, DO-520. Obv: DN LEOPE RPETAVC Helmeted bust facing Rx: VICTORI A AVG G B Victory standing l., holding long cross, in r. field, star, in exergue, CONOB. Officina B=2. Mint State. 1150
38. **LEO I**, 457-474 AD, Thessalonica, 457-468 AD, Solidus, 4.25g DO-668, RIC-616 (R3). Obv: D N LEO PE - RPET AVG Facing bust wearing diademed helmet and holding spear over shoulder and shield. Rx: VICTORI - A AVG G Victory standing l. holding long jeweled cross, star in r. field, THSOB in exergue, the SOB larger and in higher relief than the TH, as though changing an earlier mintmark. Interesting apparently recut mintmark. Ex CNG 55, 13 September 2000, lot 1491. Nose weakly struck. aEF. 875
39. **ZENO (474-491 AD)**, 474-491 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.44g Berk-26, RIC-910, officina S=6. Obv: D N ZENO PERP AVG Helmeted, pearl-diademed and cuirassed bust three-quarters facing, holding spear over right shoulder and behind head, and shield with horseman motif. Rx: VICTORIA AVG G S, Victory standing l., supporting long jeweled cross, star in r. field, CONOB in exergue. Extremely sharp strike. Mint State. 1150
- Visigoths**
40. **THE VISIGOTHS IN SPAIN: SEUDO-IMPERIAL SERIES, COPYING JUSTINIAN I**, Solidus, 4.33g MEC-191 var. Obv: D N IVSTI - NI - ANVS P (several letters backwards or upside down) Helmeted bust of Justinian front holding spear and shield. Rx: VICTORI - A AVG G V Victory standing l. holding long cross with forked base, CONOB in exergue, star in l. field. Cf. Grierson and Blackburn, *Medieval European Coinage* 1, p. 48. "These coins are rare, and indeed are too few to allow any satisfactory classification or mint attributions". Struck in high relief. EF. 5000
41. **JUSTINIAN I**, 527-565 AD, Constantinople, 527-537 AD, Solidus, 4.41g Berk-42, MIB-5, Sear-137. Obv: D N IVSTINI - ANVS PP AVG Helmeted, cuirassed bust facing, holding spear over r. shoulder and shield ornamented with rider. Rx: VICTORI - A AVG G A (officina 4) Angel standing facing, holding long cross and globus cruciger, star in r. field, CONOB in exergue. Some areas of weak striking on emperor's face. Mint State. 735
42. **JUSTIN II**, Constantinople, c. January 566 AD, Solidus, 4.51g Berk-60, DO-4, Sear-345. Obv: DN INVSTINVS PP AVI Helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding Victory on globe. Rx: VICTORIA AVG G B Constantinian seated facing, head right, holding spear and globus cruciger, in exergue, CONOB. Mint State. 500
43. **FOCAS**, 602-610 AD, Constantinople, c. 603-607 AD, Solidus, 4.25g Berk-99, Hahn-7, DO-5, Sear-618. Obv: D N FOCAS - PERP AVG, Frontal bearded bust wearing crown with cross atop, draped and holding small cross. Rx: VICTORIA - AVG G E, Angel standing front holding long staff surmounted with chi-ro in right hand and globus cruciger in left. Hit at 8 o'clock on obverse. Mint State. 390
44. **CONSTANS II**, 641-668 AD, Constantinople, 662-667 AD, Solidus, 4.32g MIB-34, Sear-972, Berk-154. Obv: Facing busts of Constans II, wearing a plumed helmet, and Constantine IV, crowned, small cross between them. Rx: Cross potent on three steps flanked by Heraclius and Tiberius, officina A, CONOB in exergue. Very sharp obverse portraits. Mint State. 600
45. **TIBERIUS III**, 698-705 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.34g Berk-193, Hahn-1, Sear-1360. Obv: Bust facing with short beard, wearing crown and cuirass, and holding spear (diagonally, across body) and shield. Rx: Cross potent on three steps, CONOB beneath, officina 8. Mint State. 1200
46. **TIBERIUS III**, 698-705 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.46g Berk-193. Obv: DTIBERIUS PE AV Bust facing with short beard, wearing crown and cuirassed and holding spear diagonally across his body and shield. Rx: VICTORIA AV G S Cross potent on three steps, CONOB beneath. Mint State. 1500
47. **LEO III**, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.42g Berk-220, DO-7, S-1504. Obv: Bust of Leo III, facing with short beard, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger and skeia. Rx: Facing bust of Constantine V, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, holding globus cruciger and skeia. EF. 2250
48. **CONSTANTINE VI AND IRENE**, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.44g Berk-234, DO-1, S-1593, Sear-1593. Obv: Facing busts of Constantine VI, beardless on left, and Irene on right, both crowned and with cross between their heads; Constantine wears chlamys and holds globus cruciger in right hand, his mother wears loros and holds cruciform scepter in left hand, pellet in field between their faces. Rx: Leo III, Constantine V, and Leo IV seated facing, each wearing crown and chlamys. Well struck for issue with a few usual weaknesses. Mint State. 5850
49. **CONSTANTINE VI AND IRENE**, 780-797 AD, Constantinople, c. 792-797 AD, Solidus, 4.41g Berk-235, DO-3, Sear-1594. Obv: Bust of Irene facing, wearing crown and loros, and holding globus cruciger and cruciform scepter. Rx: Bust of Constantine VI facing, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger and skeia. On the reverse, to right of Constantine's head at 2h, is part of an additional border of dots produced by overstrike or engraver's error. Some areas of flatness. Near Mint State. 9250
- Sole Reign Solidus**
50. **IRENE, SOLE REIGN**, 797-802 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.35g Berk-236, DO-2, Sear-1599. Obv: Bust of Irene facing, wearing crown and loros and holding globus cruciger and cruciform scepter. Rx: Bust of Irene as on obverse. Legends on face flatly struck. EF. 9500
51. **THEOPHILUS**, Syracuse, 831-842 AD, Solidus, 3.88g Berk-251, DO-24, Sear-1670. Obv: OE - OFILOC Crowned bust facing holding cross potent. Rx: As obv, but emperor holds globus cruciger. Twenty years ago there were many of these coins in the market. Today we rarely see them. FDC. 1200
52. **ITALY, KINGDOM OF SICILY, PETER I THE GREAT OF ARAGON AND CONSTANCE**, 1282-1285 AD, AV Pierrele, Messina Mint, 4.39g Spahr-1, Friedberg-654. Obv: +SUMMA.POTENCIA.EST.IN.DEO / +PDEI.GRA. ARAGON.SICIL.REX. in two circles, with annulet stops, bordered by three dotted circles, around coat of arms of Aragon. Rx: +XPS.VINCIT.XPS.REGNAT.XPS.IMPAT / +COSTA.DEI.GRA.ARAGON.SICIL.REG. in two circles, with pellet stops, bordered by three dotted circles, around eagle standing l., head r., with wings raised. Ex Gemini VIII, 14 April 2011, lot 537 Peter the Great (who was known as Peter I of Valencia, Peter II Count of Barcelona and Peter III King of Aragon) conquered Sicily in 1282 and became its king. He was considered to be one of the greatest medieval Aragonese monarchs. Peter was characterized in Shakespeare's *Much Ado About Nothing*. This coin is in pristine condition with incredible detail. FDC. 6500
- GREEK SILVER**
53. **IMITATION OF PHILIP II, DANUBE BASIN**, c. 3rd Century BC, Tetradrachm, 12.74g Pnk-138 var. Obv: Celticized head of Zeus r. Rx: Celticized king on horseback l. VF. 300
54. **GAUL, MASSALIA**, After 220 BC, Drachm, 2.85g Weber-P1.1, 42. Obv: Draped bust of Artemis r. Rx: Lion walking l. Toned EF. 475
55. **CALABRIA, TARENTUM**, 325-281 BC, Stater, 7.79g Fischer-Bossert-960a (this coin), Vlasto-654. Obv: Youth on horseback r., crowning himself with his r. hand, holding reins with his l. hand, below horse, EA and Ionic capital. Rx: TAPAZ Phalanx, nude, astride dolphin l., holding snake in his extended r. hand, whip in his lowered l. hand, below, KON. Ex New York Sale XXXII, 6 January 2010, lot 1. Ex Sternberg XXXI, 27-8 October 1996, lot 57. Ex Gorny 55, 14 May 1991, lot 12. This

- coin is extremely elegantly rendered and well struck. The naked boy crowning himself is even more beautiful than the very sharply rendered boy on the dolphin. If one were type collecting for Tarentum this would be the one coin to own. Mint State. 3250
56. **CALABRIA, TARENTUM**, c. 281-272 BC, Stater, 6.09g. Vlasto-789, SNG ANS-1133. Obv. Helmeted, nude warrior on horse prancing r.; warrior holds two lances and large round shield decorated with an eight-pointed star. Rx: Taras astride dolphin holding grape cluster and distaff. aVF / EF. 600
57. **LUCANIA, METAPONTUM**, c. 340-330 BC, Stater, 7.61g. Nos. Johnson-Class A, 8.8. Obv. Head of Demeter r., wearing single-pondant earring and sphendone. Rx: META downward to l. of barley ear on which sits mouse; Φ below leaf and another Φ at base of barley. VF. 750
58. **LUCANIA, METAPONTUM**, 330-280 BC, Stater, 7.73g. S-B3. Obv. ΔEY[KITTO] Σ Bearded head of Leukippos r., wearing Corinthian helmet with plain bowl; symbol behind head: dog seated l. [with one paw raised], [Σ] below neck; Rx: MET[A] upward at l. with six-grained barley ear with leaf to r.; bird r. with open wings stands on leaf, AMI below. Bold VF. 1100
- Ant Symbol**
59. **LUCANIA, METAPONTUM**, c. 290-280 BC, Nomos, 7.74g. Noe, Johnson-Class D, 4.9. Obv. Head of Demeter r., wearing wreath of barley ears; behind head, ΔI. Rx: META Ear of barley; to r., cornucopia with two barley ears above; below l., ant. Sharply struck in high relief. Mint State. 1500
60. **LUCANIA, THURIUM**, 410-330 BC, Distater, 15.48g. Noe-F30. Obv. Helmeted head of Athena r. with Skylla on helmet. Rx: ΘΟΥΠΙΣ[N] Butting bull r., in exergue, tuna swimming r. Normally distaters of Thurium are off center, this one is not. While the helmet is somewhat weak, the face of Athena is sharp and pleasant. Pleasant VF. 2650
61. **LUCANIA, VELIA**, 305/4-293 BC, Stater, 7.54g. Williams-393 (same dies). Obv. Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Lion prowling r.; YEHTΩN above, N below lion, thyrsos in exergue. Toned VF. 500
- Rhegium Not Messana**
62. **BRUTTIUM, RHEGIUM**, 480-466 BC, Tetrachdrum, 16.51g. SNG ANS-626. Obv. Charioteer driving biga of mules r. Rx: Horse running r. Issue of Rhegium with the hare are many times rarer than the similar issues of Messana. VF. 1650
63. **SICILY, SELINUS**, 520-490 BC, Didrachm, 9.13g. SNG ANS-665 ff. Obv. Celery leaf. Rx: Incuse square divided into twelve compartments, alternately raised and depressed. Flatly struck at top of celery leaf. Mint State. 900
64. **SICILY, SYRACUSE**, Didrachm, Sicily, Syracuse, 485-479 BC, 8.17g. Boehlinger-99 (V46/R67). Obv. Naked rider, bearded, on horse trotting r. Rx: ΣΥΡΑΚΟΙΩΝ, head of Artemis-Arethusa r., wearing diadem of beads, hair tied behind loose tresses on her cheek; three dolphins swimming around her head. Ex Berk 160, 13 August 2008, lot 51. Some reverse encrustation on Arethusa's head. Toned and very rare. aEF / Good VF. 3250
65. **SICILY, SYRACUSE**, 450-439 BC, Tetrachdrum, 17.20g. Boehlinger-642. Obv. Quadriga r., horses crowned by Victory. Rx: ΣΥΡΑΚΟΙΩΝ Arethusa with hair in sakkos ornamented with meander pattern; four dolphins around Ex Coin Galleries, December 2005, lot 26. Very sharp. Greek key pattern on sacros of Arethusa. With a well struck obverse. Some reverse contact marks. EF. 4500
66. **ZEUGITANIA, CARTHAGE**, 221-202 BC, 1/4 shekel, 1.92g. SNG Cop-335, Dewing-994. Obv. Head of Tanit l. Rx: Horse standing r. Good VF. 400
- Plate Coin from 100 Greatest Ancient Coins**
67. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER I**, 498-454 BC, Octadrachm, c. 492-480 BC, 28.78g. Raymond-PI II, 6, SNG ANS-1. Obv. Horseman standing r. wearing chlamys and petasos, holding two spears and leading horse. Rx: Quadripartite incuse. Ex Triton VIII, 11 January 2005, lot 129. A truly beautiful example of this scarce coin. Struck on a broad flan, with some muted luster. Beautifully centered with the complete design. Plate coin in 100 Greatest Ancient Coins, page 15, by Harlan J. Berk, 2008. Choice EF. 32500
- Lifetime Issue**
68. **MACEDONIA, PHILIP II**, 357-336 BC. Amphipolis, c. 342/1-c. 329/8 BC, Tetrachdrum, 14.44g. Le Rider-418. Obv. Laureate head of Zeus r. Rx: Nude jockey on horseback r., prow symbol below. High relief. Choice EF. 4500
69. **MACEDONIA, PHILIP II**, Pella mint, c. 323-315 BC, Tetrachdrum, 14.26g. Le Rider-68, 530, pl. 22. Obv. Laureate head of Zeus r.; dotted border. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ Boy rider on horseback r., holding palm branch in hand. Beneath horse, cold snake. In exergue, Boeotian shield. Dotted border. Ex Gemin X, 13 January 2013, lot 37. Mint State. 3000
70. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, c. 323-320 BC, Tetrachdrum, 17.16g. Price-112. Obv. Head of Herakles r. Rx: Zeus seated l. holding eagle and scepter; Phrygian helmet symbol in field. Mint State. 1500
71. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, c. 285-275 BC, Tetrachdrum, 17.09g. Price-554. Obv. Head of Hercules r. wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: AΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ Zeus seated l. holding eagle on outstretched r. arm and scepter in l. Symbols: NK monogram in l. field and MP encircled under throne. VF. 300
72. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, c. 328-323 BC, Tetrachdrum, 17.21g. Price-1355d. Obv. Head of Herakles r. wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: AΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ Zeus enthroned l.; in l. field Demeter standing front holding two torches; ΔΙΟ monogram under throne. EF. 900
73. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, Side, c. 325-320 BC, Tetrachdrum, 17.11g. Price-2949. Obv. Bust of Alexander as Herakles r., wearing lion skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l. on throne; ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ in exergue, AΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ in r. field, wreath in l. field, ΔI beneath throne. Mint State. 985
74. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, 336-323 BC, Lampasus mint, c. 310-301 BC, Drachm, 4.08g. Price-1406. Obv. Head of Hercules r. wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: AΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ Zeus seated l. holding eagle on outstretched r. arm and scepter in l. KI monogram in l. field and ME monogram below throne. EF. 385
75. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, Drachm, 4.17g. Price-1505b. Obv. Head of Hercules r. wearing lion-skin Rx: Zeus seated l. holding eagle, seahorse symbol in l. field. This is the somewhat unusual reverse where the left knee of Zeus faces directly at the viewer of the coin. EF. 285
76. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, c. 310-301 BC, Drachm, 4.21g. Price-1528. Obv. Head of Hercules r. wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: AΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ Zeus seated l. holding eagle on outstretched r. arm and scepter in l. MY monogram in l. field and I below throne. Near Mint State. 440
77. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**, Possible lifetime issue, c. 323-319 BC, Drachm, 4.40g. Price-1759. Obv. Head of Herakles r. wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l. holding eagle on outstretched r. arm; star in l. field; spear point in outer r. field. Toned. Good VF. 350
78. **MACEDONIA UNDER ROMAN RULE**, 158-149 BC, Tetrachdrum, 16.84g. AMNG-161. Obv. Bust of Artemis r. with Macedonian shield. Rx: Club of Herakles and monogram within wreath; thunderbolt to l. Ex Berk 126, 23 April 2002, lot 56. EF. 450
79. **PAEONIAN KINGDOM, PATRAOS**, 340-315 BC, Tetrachdrum, 12.66g. Paenonia Hoard, Sotherby 1969, lot 172 (same dies). Obv. Laureate head of Apollo r. Rx: Horseman with plumed helmet r., spearing fallen enemy. aEF / EF. 500
80. **PAEONIA, PATRAOS**, Tetrachdrum, Paenonia, Patraos, c. 340-315 BC, 11.43g. Paenonia Hoard, Sotherby April 1969, O172/R217. Obv. Head of Apollo r. Rx: Horseman r., spearing fallen enemy. Ex Berk 141, 5 January 2005, lot 82. Some die rust on eye and nose of Apollo. Sharply detailed reverse. About EF. 575
81. **THRACE, MARONEIA**, c. 398-385 BC, Tetrolol, 2.47g. SNG Cop-614. Obv. Forepart of prancing horse l., EY[IT] around Rx: Bunch of grapes hanging from branch, M.A. to either side, all in dotted square within incuse. VF / aEF. 325

82. **DANUBIAN DISTRICT, ISTRUS**, 4th Century BC, Drachm, 5.51g. SNG BM Black Sea-240. Obv. Two young heads tête-beche, river gods of Istrus. Rx: Eagle l. on dolphin. Good VF. 575
83. **DANUBIAN DISTRICT, ISTRUS**, 4th century BC, Drachm, 5.60g. SNG BM-243. Obv. Facing male heads, left head inverted. Rx: Sea-eagle l. with dolphin in talons, monogram below. VF. 325
84. **THRACE, THASOS**, 411-350 BC, Trihemidrachm, 0.86g. Grose-4215. Obv. Satyr kneeling l. with cantharus in extended hand Rx: Amphora. VF. 250
85. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**, Sardes, c. 297/6-287 BC, Tetrachdrum, 16.75g. Thompson-86. Obv. Head of Alexander the Great with horn of Ammon r. Rx: Athena enthroned l., monogram in circle in outer l. field, monogram in exergue. VF. 750
86. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**, 323-281 BC, Uncertain mint, possibly Amphipolis, Tetrachdrum, 16.71g. Thompson, but similar obverse die to Thompson-190. Obv. Deified horned and diademed head of Alexander the Great r. with beaded border. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΑΥΞΙΜΑΧΟΥ Athena seated l. on throne holding Victory on outstretched r. arm and resting l. elbow on shield. No controls visible. Test cut in horn of Zeus Ammon. Good VF. 400
87. **THRACE, THASOS**, After 146 BC, Tetrachdrum, 16.53g. SNG Cop-1046. Obv. Head of young Dionysos r., wreathed with ivy. Rx: ΗΡΑΚΛΕΟΥΣ ΣΕΩΤΗΡΟΣ ΘΑΣΙΩΝ Herakles, naked, standing l., holding club, lion's skin over l. arm, monogram in field to l. VF. 250
88. **THESSALY, LARISSA**, c. Early-mid 4th century BC, Drachm, 5.98g. Hermann, p. 24, group III L, pl. IV, 3, BCD Thessaly-370.2 (same dies). Obv. Thessalostol, naked but for chlamys flying in the air behind him, holding a band with both hands around the forehead of a bull leaping l., below, his petasos falling towards the ground line, all within dotted circle. Rx: ΑΡΙΣΤΕΙΑ ΑΙΑΝΤΩΝ two lines above, banded horse pacing l. on ground line, all in a shallow incuse. Ex Berk 147, 1 February 2006, lot 113. Interesting adjectival reverse legend with the feminine singular ending, which according to the BCD catalogue must apply to an understood "drachm", i.e. "a Larissan (drachm)". Instead of the usual genitive plural legend, meaning "(coin) of the Larissans". Very rare. Hermann knew only one specimen, in Berlin, and not many more have emerged since his day. Reverse double struck. VF. 375
- Kimono-like die**
89. **THESSALY, LARISSA**, 400-300 BC, Drachm, 5.84g. Lorber-631 (this coin). Obv. Head of nymph Larissa facing three-quarters r., dolphins on either side. Rx: Horse grazing r. Ex Nomos 4, 10 May 2011, lot 1145. Ex BCD Collection. Ex NFA XXXX, 29 October 1990, lot 96. Ex 1989 Thessaly Hoard (Coin Hoards IX, 65). The early drachms of Larissa published in detail by Catherine Lorber are some of the best as well as some of the worst of Greek coins. This particular die draws directly from Kimon's famous facing head of Arethusa, and our specimen is Lorber's plate coin, the best she could find from the die. Though the horse's head is off flan on the reverse, the facing head of Larissa on the obverse is almost perfectly centered. Some incandescent green and reddish toning. Mint State. 6000
90. **THESSALY, AENIANES**, 1st century BC, Trihemidrachm, 7.54g. Callatay-5 (this coin), BCD-41.5 (this coin). Obv. Head of Athena r., wearing Attic helmet decorated with tendril, aegis, and four horse protomes. Rx: ΑΙΝΙΩΝΙΝ / ΜΕΝΕΑΜΟΙ Phemios as singer, naked but for chlamys over shoulder and sword. Two spears behind. Ex BCD Collection, 41.5. Ex NFA IV, 24 March 1977, lot 177. Ex Ancient Gems MB3, 31 October 1972, lot 39. VF. 1500
91. **THESSALY, OETAEI**, 400-344 BC, Hemidrachm, 2.83g. SNG Cop-176, BM-1. Obv. Lion's head l. with spear in mouth. Rx: ΟΙΤΑΙ / ΩΝ Herakles standing facing, holding his club in both hands. This is an exceptionally beautiful example of this rather scarce issue. Toned EF / VF. 4000
92. **THESSALY, PHARSALUS**, 400-344 BC, Drachm, 6.05g. Weber-2907. Obv. Head of Athena r. wearing crested helmet adorned with a Scylla. Rx: Thessalian rider in chlamys and kausia on rearing horse r., holding raised whip. VF. 900
93. **THESSALY, THESSALIAN LEAGUE**, 196-146 BC, Double Victoriatus, 6.43g. BCD-869.2 (same obv. die). Magistrates Philon and Hippolochos. Obv. Laureate head of Zeus r. Rx: Athena Itonia advancing r. [ΦΙΛΙ] - ΩΝ and star above her spear, [Ι] ΠΙΠΟΛΟΧΩΣ in exergue. Stunning obverse image of Zeus. Mint State. 600
94. **ISLANDS OF ILLYRICUM, CORCYRA**, 475-450 BC, Stater, 10.20g. SNG Cop-157. Obv. Cow standing r., head turned back to view calf that she suckles; star above. Rx: Double stellate pattern within dual linear border. Toned. Good VF. 2350
95. **BOEOTIA, THEBES**, 525-480 BC, Drachm, 6.03g. BCD-331, BM-5. Obv. Boeotian shield in high relief. Rx: Mill-sail incuse, four sunk and four raised. Obverse in high relief. Good VF. 950
96. **BOEOTIA, THEBES**, c. 425-400 BC, Stater, 11.88g. BCD-398. Obv. Boeotian shield. Rx: Amphora, bunch of grapes to r. and Θ - Ε to l. and r., signifying city name of Thebes. Scratch on reverse at 9 o'clock. VF. 350
97. **EUBOEA, CARYSTUS**, 411-336 BC, Drachm, 7.29g. SNG Cop-415, Robinson-27 (P13/A5). Obv. Cow suckling calf. Rx: ΚΑ-ΡΥΣΤΙΩΝ Cock standing. Exceptionally fine example of this issue, darkly toned. Choice EF. 4250
- Ex Dr. J. Hewitt T. Judd Collection, 1950s**
98. **EUBOEA, ERETRIA**, c. 375-357. Stater, 12.02g. Wallace-9, BCD-4, Traité-II, 3, 170, pl. CXCVII, 19. Obv. Head of the nymph Euboea to r., wearing half-moon shaped earring, necklace and with her hair up. Rx: EYB Cow lying r.; above grapes hanging from stalk; all within shallow incuse square. Ex Harlan J. Berk Ltd, List No. 1, April 1974, lot 83 (cover coin). Ex Dr. J. Hewitt T. Judd Collection, 1950s. This coin was purchased by the famous author of the U.S. Pattern book, Dr. Hewitt T. Judd of Wichita, Kansas, in the 1950s. In the 1960s thieves broke into his house hoping to steal his U.S. pattern collection, instead they took his ancient coins. These were then kept in the home of a mafia member for at least a decade. When they came into the market in about 1970 they were quickly identified as the stolen coins of Dr. Judd. When we brought the coins later to show them to Dr. Judd, then a man in his mid-80s, he said with a twinkle in his eye that these were not his coins. Of course the insurance company had already paid him a princely sum for his stolen collection. While the head of the nymph Euboea is archaic and somewhat pedestrian, the reverse is exquisite. The artist had a wonderful knowledge of the cows of Euboea and this one reclines beautifully on the planchet with a lush bunch of grapes above. EF. 26000
99. **EUBOEA, ERETRIA**, 357-267 BC, Drachm, 3.64g. SNG Cop-484, Wallace-44. Obv. Head of nymph Euboea l. Rx: Cow's head and neck three-quarter face to r., fillets hanging from each horn. Toned. VF. 650
100. **EUBOEA, HISTIAIA**, 197-146 BC, Tetrolol, 1.87g. Grose-5731, but no letter or symbol below vessel. Obv. Head of nymph Histiaia wearing wreath formed of bunches of grapes. Rx: ΙΕΤΙ - ΑΙΕΩΝ Nymph Histiaia seated r. on stern of galley. Ex Berk 134, 8 October 2003, lot 104. Mint State. 250
101. **EUBOEA, HISTIAIA**, c. 196-146 BC, Tetrolol, 2.44g. BM-41-55. Obv. Head of nymph Histiaia r., hair rolled, wearing earring, necklace and vine-wreath. Rx: Nymph Histiaia seated r. on stern of galley decorated with wing. EF. 250
102. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 575-525 BC, Wappenmünzen Obol, 0.53g. Svoronos-1, 54-56. Obv. Wheel Rx: Four-part incuse. Rather sharp wheel. aEF. 800
103. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 575-525 BC, Wappenmünzen Obol, 0.60g. Svoronos-1, 54-56. Obv. Wheel. Rx: Four-part incuse. VF. 500
104. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 450 BC, Obol, 0.68g. Svoronos-PI, 10, 46. Obv. Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head front, with single leaf. Face of Athena off flan, but early obols with Athena and the owl are definitely scarce. aVF. 250
105. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 450 BC, Hemidrachm, 0.31g. Obv. Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head front. Perfectly centered. VF. 375
106. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 440 BC, Tetrachdrum, 17.18g. Obv. Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Very beautiful archaic head of Athena. Mint State /

- EF 2750
107. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 440 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.15g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Beautiful archaic head of Athena exhibiting an archaic smile. Mint State. 2900
108. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 435 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.19g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Mint State. 2800
- Full Crest**
109. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 435 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.62g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing, to l., olive twig with two leaves and crescent moon, ethnic in r. field. This coin shows a full crest on the helmet which is highly desirable. It has a small die on the bottom of the chin and an old scratch in the reverse field below the owl. EF. 3250
110. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 435 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.14g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Mint State. 2800
- Full Crest**
111. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 435 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.15g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Mint State. 3500
112. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 435 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.20g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Banker's mark on cheek of Athena. Mint State. 2500
113. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 430 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.06g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Very elegant head of Athena struck in very high relief. Toned. Mint State. 2800
114. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, Tetradrachm, Attic, Athens, c. 430 BC, 17.15g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing, to l., olive twig with two leaves and crescent moon beneath, ethnic in r. field. EF. 1750
115. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 425 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.20g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing, to l., olive twig with two leaves and crescent moon beneath, ethnic in r. field. Mint State. 1600
- Crescent Reverse**
116. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 350 BC, 1/4 Obol, 0.14g. Svoronos-Pl 17, 53-56. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Crescent and AΘE. This very rare issue, though not sharply struck on the reverse, is perfectly centered on both sides. VF / Good VF. 1000
117. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, c. 393-300 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.94g. The Athenian Agora, pl. 3, 22 (appears to be same dies). Svoronos-pl. 21, 26. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing, olive sprig and crescent moon behind, AΘE before. In better style, and on a more regular flan, than the usual late Athenian tetradrachm with profile eye. VF. 800
118. **ATTIC, ATHENS**, 92-91 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.72g. Thompson-1069. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. with dotted border. Rx: AΘE EENOKAHEAPMOEENOE. Owl standing on fallen amphora. All within wreath. Symbol: Dolphin and trident in r. field, A on amphora. Obverse die identity not certain, because the specimen illustrated in Thompson is corroded on that side. Same reverse die as Thompson-1070, pl. 118. Ex Berk 133, 22 July 2003, lot 105. Some areas of flat striking. EF. 600
- Early Sea Turtle**
119. **AEGINA**, c. 550-525 BC, Stater, 11.42g. SNG Delepierre-1643, cf. Milbank-2. Obv: Sea turtle. Rx: Mill sail incuse, divided into eight sections, three raised and five incuse. The configuration of this punch seems to be quite unusual and rare. VF. 1000
120. **ATTIC, AEGINA**, 510-490 BC, Stater, 10.38g. Milbank-4. Obv: Sea turtle. Rx: Mill sail incuse. Toned VF. 500
121. **ATTIC, AEGINA**, 480-456 BC, Stater, 12.17g. Milbank-pl. 1, 14. Obv: Smooth-shelled sea turtle with dotted shell. Rx: Large incuse with skew pattern. VF. 1500
122. **ATTIC, AEGINA**, 485-480 BC, Stater, 12.29g. Milbank-14. Obv: Smooth-shelled sea turtle with thick collar and large dot pattern on shell. Rx: Skew pattern divided by lines into five compartments. Possible countermark on shell. High relief. VF+. 3500
- Exceptional Land Tortoise**
123. **ATTIC, AEGINA**, c. 404-375 BC, Stater, 12.34g. Milbank-pl. II, 13. Obv: Land tortoise. Rx: Skew pattern. The land tortoise issues are rather hard to find in high grade. This particular coin is well centered, missing only one back leg and struck in ultra high relief. The relief is so high that the highest point of the shell probably never came in contact with the die. Mint State. 7000
124. **ATTIC, AEGINA**, 404-340 BC, Drachm, 5.55g. Milbank-Period IV, plate III, 3. Obv: Land turtle. Rx: Incuse square divided by lines into five sections, with AI, Γ and dolphin in three of the divisions. VF. 800
125. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, 384-50 BC, Stater, 7.78g. Ravel-77, class 3. Obv: Pegasus with curled wing flying l. Rx: Incuse square with swastika pattern. Very well centered, well struck for issue. Ancient hole at 12 o'clock, probably worn as jewelry in antiquity, so available today at a bargain price. VF. 475
126. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, 500-431 BC, Diobol, 0.80g. BMC-103. Obv: Bridled head of Pegasus r. Rx: Δ within incuse square. aEF. 1000
127. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, c. 490-480 BC, Stater, 8.62g. Ravel-147, Calciati-53, BCD Corinth (Lanz 105, 26 November 2001)-21. SNG Cop-7. Obv: Pegasus flying l., koppe below. Rx: Archaic head of Athena r. wearing Corinthian helmet. Ex Stack's, 22-23 April 2009, lot 1097. Really beautiful head of Athena with well-centered Pegasus on obverse. Toned Good VF. 3850
128. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, 457-440 BC, Stater, 8.21g. Ravel-255. NNM-5215.4. Obv: Pegasus flying r., curled wing, koppe below. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena wearing necklace and drop grape-cluster earring. Some porosity especially on reverse. VF. 750
129. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, 500-430 BC, Drachm, 2.64g. Grose-6085, BMC-. Obv: Bridled Pegasus flying r., curled wing. Rx: Deep incuse square with archaic head of Aphrodite r. Fine. 450
130. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, 350-338 BC, Stater, 8.39g. Ravel-1040a. Obv: Pegasus flying l., koppe below. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena l., Thessalian helmet to r. VF. 400
131. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, 350-338 BC, Drachm, 2.57g. Obv: Pegasus flying l. Rx: Head of Aphrodite l. wearing earring and necklace bound with crossed cord tied at crown of head, leaving loose ends. Old scratch on neck of Aphrodite. VF. 500
132. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**, 400-338 BC, Drachm, 2.42g. BMC-49. Obv: Pegasus flying l. Rx: Head of Aphrodite l. VF. 300
133. **ACARNANIA, LEUCAS**, c. 350-330 BC, Stater, 8.32g. BMC-51, Calciati-84. Obv: Pegasus flying left, Rx: Helmeted head of Athena l., A and caduceus behind. Choice EF. 650
134. **ACARNANIA, LEUCAS**, 330-300 BC, Stater, 8.50g. Calciati-128. Obv: Pegasus flying r., A below. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena r., behind, A and bunch of grapes above amphora. VFEF. 475
135. **PELOPONNESUS, SICYON**, 425-400 BC, Hemiobol, 0.24g. BCD-167, BMC-11. Obv: Dove walking l. with closed wings, Rx: Dove flying l. According to BCD this is very rare. Toned Good VF. 400
136. **PELOPONNESUS, SICYON**, c. 360-330/20 BC, Stater, 12.20g. BCD-211 (same dies), SNG Norman Davis-207, Traite-776. Obv: Chimaera stepping l., ZE below. Rx: Dove flying l. within olive wreath. Very rare issue. First of the fourth century staters. Two tiny planchet defects on obverse. Otherwise an excellent example of this highly desirable issue. Some golden toning. Near Mint State. 3900
137. **ARGOLIS, ARGOS**, 320-270 BC, Obol, 0.59g. BCD-1090, BMC-94, SNG Cop-54. Obv: Head of wolf l. Rx: Large A, Π-P above, club below, all within incuse square. VF. 150
138. **PELOPONNESUS, ACHAËAN LEAGUE**, Megara and Pagae, 243 BC, 2.45g. Grose-6442. Obv: Laureate head of Zeus r. Rx: Laurel wreath, X within. EF. 4000
139. **PELOPONNESUS, ARCADIAN LEAGUE**, ARCADIA, MANTINEIA, c. 477-468 BC, Triobol, 2.81g. Williams-111 (O76/R67). Obv: Zeus seated l. on throne with low back, holding eagle and scepter. Rx: Female head l., wearing sakkos. Ex Gemini IX, 8 Jan. 2012, lot 97. Though Arcadians were proverbially country bumpkins, the

- Arcadian League managed to issue a highly attractive series of coins, displaying charming maiden heads in up-to-date style and an awesome image of Zeus Lycaeus, one of the most prominent deities of the Arcadian pantheon. The maiden head may represent the mysterious goddess Despoina ("the mistress"), whose sanctuary at Lycosura in southern Arcadia is still well known today. Extremely rare. VF. 3000
140. **ARCADIAN LEAGUE, MEGALOPOLIS**, 340 BC, Obol, 0.87g. BCD-1517, BMC-55-56. Obv: Horned head of Pan l. Rx: AR monogram of solidiform with symyx below. Scarce issue, beautiful grey toning. EF. 2750
141. **ARCADIA, MEGALOPOLIS**, 175-188 AD, Triobol, 2.32g. BCD-1548. Obv: Laureate head of Zeus l. Rx: Pan seated l. on rock, raising his r. hand above eagle standing in his lap, and holding lagobolon in l. hand. Good VF. 750
- Ex Egger 1906, Ex Egger/Prowe 1912, Ex Garrett 2 1984**
142. **ARCADIA, PHENEUS**, 350 BC, Stater, 11.27g. Obv: Head of Demeter r. with wreath of wheat ears, Rx: Hermes advancing l., holding caduceus in r. hand, looking back at infant Arkas held on l. arm. Literature: S. Schultz, SNR 71 (1992), p. 53 #612, pl. 9 (this coin). Pedgree: Ex Egger 10 (1906) #399. Ex Egger 40 (1912, Prowe) #1162. Ex Leu-NFA Oct. 1984 (Garrett II) #229. Ex NFA Journal 38 (1190) #39. Ex NFA 28, 23 April 1992, lot 676. Ex Superior 30 May 1995, lot 7463. Lewis Egnew Collection. Head of Hermes flatly struck and partially off flan on reverse, a few old light scratches and a scrape on obverse. A slightly better coin was estimated at 275,000 Swiss francs in a recent sale. The rare coins of Pheneus were minted in the short period of freedom and prosperity for the city after the wars between the Boeotians (led by the general Epaminondas) and the Spartans, and before the conquest of mainland Greece by Philip II and Alexander the Great. While the obverse type harks back to the popular Arethusa head of the Syracusan decadrachms, the reverse is original: the local hero Arkas, ancestor of the Arkadians, being rescued as a young child by the god Hermes. Being the son of Zeus and the nymph Kalisto, Arkas was in danger of falling victim, as his mother did, to the jealous rage of Zeus' wife Hera. Therefore Hermes brought the child to his own mother, the nymph Maia, who lived in the mountains near Pheneus, where Arkas then grew up. Even today, the Pheneus valley remains a place to escape to and relax, especially for haseless contemporary Athenians. Toned EF. 27500
143. **PHOCIS**, c. 490-485 BC, Hemidrachm, 2.85g. Williams-17. Obv: Bull's head facing. Rx: Head of Artemis r. in incuse square. Obverse in high relief. Toned VF. 1000
144. **PHOCIS**, 479-421 BC, Obol, 0.94g. Boston-967. Obv: Facing bull's head. Rx: Forepart of running boar r. Fine. 375
- Overstruck on Cyrene**
145. **CRETE, GORTYNA**, c. 300 BC, Stater, 11.24g. Svoronos-58, Le Rider-RXIV, 5-10. Obv: Europa seated three-quarters r. in plane tree, resting head on l. hand. Rx: Bull standing r., head reverted. Overstruck on tetradrachm of Cyrene. The undertype is clearly visible at 3h on the reverse. Ex Superior, 30 May 1995, lot 7473. VF. 1950
146. **CYCLADES, PAROS**, 490-480 BC, Drachm, 6.04g. Sheedy-82-89, SNG Cop-716. Obv: Goat r., kneeling. Rx: Four-part incuse. Playful goat. Possibly from an old collection, but remarkably not in Sheedy EF. 3950
147. **MYSA, PERGAMUM**, c. 76-67 BC, Cistophorus Tetradrachm, 12.21g. Kleiner-49. Obv: Serpentina wing l., head of a mystic with hair open top, all within very wreath. Rx: Bow in case between two coiled serpents. To l. of serpents, monogram ΠEP (mintmark), to r., serpent-entwined thyrsus, above bowcase, TH above ΠVP monogram. Ex Superior, 30 May 1995, lot 7512 (Lewis Egnew Collection). Off center with good strike. EF. 300
148. **BITHYNIA, HERACLEIA PONTICA**, c. 4th-early 3rd century BC, Didrachm, 9.70g. SNG von Aulock-366, SNG BM-1618, BMC-32, SNG Stancomb-323 var. (monogram). Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion's skin headdress, tied at his neck. Rev. [H]PAKAETAN, Dionysos enthroned to l., holding a kantharos and a thyrsos. Ex Superior 30 May 1995, lot 7489. Exquisite reverse struck in high relief. Lightly toned EF. 2000
149. **TROAS, TENEDOS**, c. 450-387 BC, Drachm, 3.64g. SNG Cop-513, BM-15. Obv: Janiform head (female head to l., wearing staphanos, bearded laureate male head to r.). Rx: Double ax, bunch of grapes on l., amphora on r., above, TENE; to l. of grapes, ZO; to r. of lyre, ΔI. Rather scarce issue, good style. VF. 650
150. **IONIA, EPHEUSUS**, c. 500-420 BC, 1/64 Stater, 0.15g. SNG Cop-211, SNG von Aulock-7816, SNG von Aulock-7816, SNG Kayhan-126-128. Obv: Bee. Rx: EΦ. Head of eagle r. EF. 650
151. **IONIA, EPHEUSUS**, c. 405-397 BC, Tetradrachm, 14.37g. Kinos, Hecatomir-46. Obv: EΦE with curved wings, beaded dots Rx: Forepart of kneeling stag with head turned back, date-palm tree to l., APIAABOE to r. Curved wing tetradrachms are quite scarce, the majority derive from the Hecatomir Hoard, published in *Coin Hoards IX*. About EF / VF. 1750
152. **IONIA, ERYTHRAE**, 470-450 BC, Drachm, 4.36g. BMFA-1837, Grose-8143. Obv: Horseman holding reins of prancing horse. Rx: Rosette with abbreviation of city name in each corner (EPYΘ). Head of horse flatly struck on obverse, otherwise toned. VF. 400
153. **IONIA, CHIOS**, c. 478-412 BC, Didrachm, 7.75g. BMC-6. Obv: Sphinx with long hair and curled wings seated l., amphora and bunch of grapes before. Rx: Quadripartite incuse square. VF. 400
154. **IONIA, SAMOS**, 310-300 BC, Didrachm, 6.31g. Barron-30a. Obv: Facing lion's scalp. Rx: Forepart of ox. Toned Good VF. 1100
155. **IONIA, SAMOS**, 270-240 BC, Octobol, 4.18g. Barron-9, SNG Cop-1710. Obv: Facing lion's scalp. Rx: Forepart of ox. Some minor planchet flaking on reverse at 3h. Toned VF. 850
- Ultra-High Relief**
156. **SATRAPS OF CARIA, HIDRIEUS**, 351-344/3 BC, Stater, 14.97g. Hurter, Essays Price, pl. 33, 45 (same obverse die), SNG Fitzwilliam-4746, SNG von Aulock-8046-SNG Lockett-2909, SNG Kayhan-880. Obv: Frontal head of Apollo facing slightly r. Rx: Zeus laureate standing r., holding double ax (labrys) and spear, ΙΑΠΙΣΣΕ in r. field. I in l. field. Ex Stack's, 10 January 2011, lot 92. Ex Ponferron, November 2000, lot 428. Struck in ultra-high relief, the image of Apollo is extremely elegant. Some minor scrapes on right field of reverse with some minor doublestriking. Mint State. 11000
- Extremely Rare Mylasa**
157. **CARIA, MYLASA**, c. 175-150 BC, Tetradrachm, 8.68g. R. Ashton, "The Pseudo-Rhodian Drachms of Mylasa", NC 1992, pp. 1-39. Tetradrachm specifically discussed on p. 22, G var. (monogram in reverse r. field is reverted), pl. 10. Akarac pl. 2, 11 var. SNG von Aulock 2863 var. SNG Kayhan 842 var. cf. R. Ashton and G. Reger in *Agoronomia. Studies in Money and Exchange Presented to John H. Kroll* (New York 2006), p. 137, pl. 6, 200. Obv: Rose with two buds, in inner l. field. Mx Rx: [I]A-A Eagle standing r. on palm branch, spreading wings, in r. field. AII is the abbreviation for the month of ΑΠΙΕΛΛΑΙΟΣ in the Macedonian calendar, corresponding to c. November in the modern calendar. Stuck on an extremely broad flan. Virtually Mint State. 6000
- One of Only Three Artist-Signed Rhodian Tetradrachms**
158. **CARIA, RHODES**, Tetradrachm Signed by EENO, Caria, Rhodes, c. 408/7-404 BC, 15.09g. Berend, Les tetradrachms de Rhodes de la premiere periode, SNR 51, 1972, #24 (this coin), Ashton-4. Obv: Head of Helios three-quarter facing with flowing hair, Rx: [P]OAI[ON] Rose with two buds and signed EENO in all four letters between tendril and rose. Ex 100 Greatest Ancient Coins, Harlan J. Berk, pp. 48 & 123 (this coin). This coin is quite remarkable in that it is one of only three known signed coins from the city of Rhodes. That is not to say that there are three signed dies, but that there are literally three signed coins in existence from the city of Rhodes, which was known for the Colossus and its wonderful early tetradrachms. An extremely important Greek coin. The obverse is struck in high relief. EF. 68500
159. **CARIA, RHODES**, 387-304 BC, Didrachm, 6.61g. Pozzi-2689. Obv: Head of

- Helios Rx. Rose. High relief. Toned EF / Good VF 685
160. **CARIA, RHODES**, c. 188-170 BC, Drachm, 2.66g Jenkins-75, SNG Keckman-Obv. Radiate head of Helios r. Rx. Rose, APTEMEN above, P O on either side of rose, wreath to l. Some earthen deposits EF 400
161. **CARIA, RHODES**, 170-150 BC, Didrachm, 1.15g SNG Keckman-642ff, BMC-302 var. Obv. Radiate head of Helios three-quarter facing r. Rx. Rose with stem and leaves, on his outstretched l. hand. In l.66 BC, Antiochus invited the cities and kings of Europe and Asia to attend a great religious festival in the sacred grove at Delphi outside Antioch, which opened with a triumphal procession of 50,000 participants with elephants, chariots and cavalry. In purple and gold armor were lines of young men and athletes bearing gold crowns and statues of the gods. Along with all of this, special coins of Zeus and Apollo were issued. The Zeus coin on the reverse was a copy of the Olympian Zeus by Pheidias at Olympus placed in the temple at Delphi. The obverse is the head of that Zeus statue but with features that resembled Antiochus himself. This is one of the few times that a Seleucid coin was issued without bearing the portrait of the king. Extremely rare and EF 3500
162. **CARIA, COS**, 190-166 BC, Drachm, 2.64g BM-83 Obv. Head of Heracles r. wearing lion's skin. Rx. Crab with club below, magistrate (ΦΙΛΙΝΟΣ). Toned VF 600
163. **CILICIA, CELENDERIS**, 425-400 BC, Obol, 0.76g SNG von Aulock-5635 Obv. Pegasus forepart r. with curved wing. Rx. Goat kneeling r., looking l. Toned VF 400
164. **CILICIA, CELENDERIS**, 400-350 BC, Obol, 0.76g Grosse-9059 Obv. Forepart of Pegasus r. Rx. Goat kneeling r. with head turned back. Ex Superior, 30 May 1995, lot 7666 (lot of 3 coins, Lewis Egnew Collection). Fine+ 300
165. **CILICIA, TARSUS, TIME OF PHARNABAZOS AND DATAMES**, c. 380-360 BC, Obol, 0.75g SNG Levante-93, SNG Paris-303 Obv. Female head facing. Rx. Helmeted head of bearded warrior l., no legend. Ex Coin Galleries, 13 July 1994, lot 1859. It is very unusual to get this small denomination in this quality. aEF 500
166. **CILICIA, TARSUS**, 361-334 BC, Stater, 10.89g SNG Paris BN-335 Obv. Baal of Tarsus enthroned l., head facing, holding eagle, wheat ear and bunch of grapes in r. hand, lotus-headed scepter in l. hand, Aramaic legend (= Baal tarz). Rx. Lion attacking bull, above, Aramaic legend (= Mazdai). Mint State 1200
- Copying statue of Zeus by Pheidias**
167. **SELEUCID KINGDOM, ANTIOCHUS IV**, Seleucis, c. 167 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.62g Newell SMA-63, Houghton ACNAC-4, 107 Obv. Laureate head of Zeus r. Rx. Zeus seated on throne l., holding scepter in l. hand, Nike crowning his head, on his outstretched l. hand. In l.66 BC, Antiochus invited the cities and kings of Europe and Asia to attend a great religious festival in the sacred grove at Delphi outside Antioch, which opened with a triumphal procession of 50,000 participants with elephants, chariots and cavalry. In purple and gold armor were lines of young men and athletes bearing gold crowns and statues of the gods. Along with all of this, special coins of Zeus and Apollo were issued. The Zeus coin on the reverse was a copy of the Olympian Zeus by Pheidias at Olympus placed in the temple at Delphi. The obverse is the head of that Zeus statue but with features that resembled Antiochus himself. This is one of the few times that a Seleucid coin was issued without bearing the portrait of the king. Extremely rare and EF 3500
168. **SYRIA, ANTIOCHUS VI**, c. 144-142 BC, Drachm, Antioch, OP = 143/2 BC, 4.10g SC-2002.2e, SMA-248 Obv. Diademed, radiate head of Antiochus VI r., dotted border. Rx. Nude Apollo seated l. on omphalos, holding arrow in r. hand and resting l. on bow, in exergue, OPETA, monogram between Apollo's legs. Some minor encrustation on obverse edge in front of face of king and minor encrustation on reverse above head of Apollo. Tiny flan crack at 3h. This coin is heavily discounted from its retail value of \$1750. Mint State 1250
169. **SIDON, BALSHALLIM II**, c. 401-365 BC, Year 5, Dishekel, 27.02g Belyon-18 Obv. War galley l. with row of shields on bulwark. Rx. King of Persia in chariot l., attendant standing behind. Struck on an immense flan with pleasant lightly toned surfaces. Interesting early heavy Sidon type. VF 1300
170. **PHOENICIA, TYRE**, Year 24=103/102 BC, Shekel, 14.37g BMC-239, 105 Obv. Laureate bust of Melqart r. Rx. ΤΡΟΨΟΙ ΕΠΑΕ ΚΑΙ ΑΕΥΑΟΥ Eagle standing l. on prow, palm over its shoulder in background, club with ΔΚ (date) to l., HAP monogram to r. Toned EF 1100
- Nickel Dichalkon**
171. **GRECO-BACTRIAN KINGDOM, AGATHOCLES**, c. 185-180 BC; Nickel Dichalkon, 8.07g Bopararchchi-Serie 5B, SNG ANS-236 Obv. Bust of Dionysos r., diademed and wearing ivy wreath, thyrsos over l. shoulder. Rx. Panther standing r., l. forepaw touching ivy vine to r.; monogram to l. Ex CNG 40, 4 December 1996, lot 1130. This is the only coin in the ancient world struck in nickel. Normally these are rather corroded. This coin exhibits no corrosion. VF / Fine+ 1500
172. **INDO-GREEK, APOLLODOTOS I, ASSOCIATE KING OF EUCRATIDES**, c. 160-150 BC, AR Square Bilingual Drachm, 1.79g South Chach province Mitchner-Indo-Greek, Scythian Coinage, Type 207e Obv. Elephant standing right. ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΑΠΟΛΛΟΔΩΤΟΥ ΕΣΤΗΤΟC around (King Apollodotos, Saviour). Rx. Humped bull standing right. Maharaja Apaladatesa traterasa around in Kharosthi. Apollodotos was one of the appointed kings in the southern provinces of the Hindu Kush. Fine+ 250
173. **JUDAEA, 1ST REVOLT**, 66-70 AD, Year 2, April 67 - March 68 CE, Sheqel, 14.22g Hendin-1358 Obv. Hebrew inscription (Sheqel of Israel), (Year 2) above ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base is raised by projections on ends. Rx. Hebrew inscription (Jerusalem the holy), staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Exquisite Mint State 8250
174. **JUDAEA, 1ST REVOLT**, Year 2, 67/68 AD, Shekel, 13.66g Hendin-1358 Obv. Ritual chalice, Hebrew inscription around (Year 2, shekel of Israel). Rx. Stem with three pomegranates, Hebrew inscription around (Jerusalem the Holy). Planchet defect on reverse at 5h from time of manufacture. Mint State 5750
175. **JUDAEA, THE BAR KOKHBA WAR**, Undated Year 3, Zuz (Denarius), 3.12g Miltenberg-186, 022/R120 Obv. "SHIM'ON", Bunch of grapes. Rx. Lyre, "For the freedom of Jerusalem". Toned Near Mint State 1100
- Wonderful Decadrachm**
176. **PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY II**, Decadrachm, 35.84g Troxell, ANSMN 28-pl. 4, 1 (same dies), Sv-492 Obv. Veiled head of Arsinoe II r., wearing staphene and veil, behind. O. Rx. ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ Double cornucopia bound with fillet. Ex Gemma XI, 12 January 2014, lot 327. Ex Richard P. Miller Collection. Purchased from Spink & Son, NYINC, 16 January 2003. When coins are consigned to our auction company Gemma, we, like other dealers, consider buying them for our own inventory. This decadrachm was the finest that I have ever seen thus when it came up in our own sale, we were very pleased to purchase it for inventory. Normally decadrachms of this issue are corroded or broken. This coin is not, but the hairline in front of the veil is so exquisite and sharp, we were worried that it had been enhanced. When we consulted our original copy of Svoronos, from 1904, we found an example of this die with a hairline as well struck as ours. This is probably one of the finest examples of this issue. Virtually Mint State 18750
177. **PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY II**, 285-246 BC, Tetradrachm, 13.91g SNG Cop-103, Svoronos-538 Obv. Diademed bust of Ptolemy I r. Rx. Eagle on thunderbolt, shield to r. Toned VF / Fine 285
178. **CYRENAICA, CYRENE**, c. 435-331 BC, Tetradrachm, 12.93g BMC-73 Obv. Silphium plant with six leaves, K - V / P - A across field at corners of plant. Rx. Head of Ammon wearing ram's horn with short curly hair and scraggly beard. Ex Frank L. Kovacs Ex Nilus Coins Ex G. Hirsch 275, 22 September 2011, lot 4150 Ex Schweizer Bankverein Zurich 33, September 1993, lot 463 Ex Christie's, 22 April 1986, lot 48. The obverse of this coin shows a very complete and elegant silphium plant. The reverse is very well struck with a sharp shadowing of an undertype that doesn't interfere with the image of the deity Ammon. aEF 11000
179. **CYRENAICA, CYRENE**, 308-277 BC, Didrachm, 7.73g BMC-245 Obv. Head of Karneios l. Rx. Silphium plant. Toned VF 1500
- ROMAN REPUBLICAN SILVER**
180. **ANONYMOUS**, 280-276 BC, Didrachm, 7.03g Syd-1, Cr-13/1 Obv. Helmeted head of bearded Mars l., wearing Corinthian helmet. Rx. Horse's head r., wheat ear behind, ROMANO on base. Ex Nancy Walsh Collection. Ex Riechmann, Halle, 18 July 1921, lot 1153 (300 DM). Lot includes old collector's ticket in Dutch, naming this provenance. A pretty specimen with some areas of wear. Toned Good VF /

- VF 2500
- Social War**
181. **MARSIC CONFEDERATION, SOCIAL WAR**, 90-88 BC, Denarius, 4.06g Campana-160 (D112/R134) Syd-633b Obv. Draped bust of one of the Dioscuri, wearing leucate pileus, surmounted by star. Rx. Italia driving galloping biga l., holding shield in l. hand, spear and sunburst r.; below, radiate head of Caesar. Ex CNG 94, 18 September 2013, lot 973. One of the rarer types in a generally rare series, the coinage of Rome's Italian enemies in the Social War of 90-88 BC. Well struck and exhibiting some luster. Choice EF 7000
182. **CN. EGNATIUS CN.F.CN.N. MAXSUMUS**, 75 BC, Denarius, 3.94g Cr-391/3, Syd-787, Egnatia 2 Obv. Bust of Libertas r., cap and MAXSVMVS behind. Rx. Roma placing foot on wolf's head and Venus with small Cupid flying towards her head, standing side by side between rudders set on prows, CN N on r., [N] on l., C EGNATIVS CN F in exergue. Ex Nancy Walsh Collection. VF 400
183. **L. FARSULEIUS MENSOR**, 75 BC, Denarius, 3.95g Cr-392/1a, Syd-789a, Farsuleia 1 Obv. Diademed and draped bust of Liberty r., SC below chin, MENSOR before, cap of Liberty behind. Rx. Roma in biga r., assisting togate figure to mount onto chariot, scorpion below horses' feet, L FARSV[LEI] in exergue. Toned Near Mint State 600
184. **C. HOSIDIUS C.F. GETA**, 68 BC, Denarius, 3.95g Cr-407/2, Syd-903, Hodia 1 Obv. Diademed bust of Diana r., III VIR behind, GETA before. Rx. Wild boar of Caledon r., pierced by spear and attacked by dog, C HOSIDI C F in exergue. aEF 420
185. **M. PLAETORIUS M.F. CESTIANUS**, 67 BC, Denarius, 3.79g Cr-409/1, Syd-509, Plectona 1 Obv. Winged bust of Vacuna r., CESTIANVS behind, SC before. Rx. Eagle on thunderbolt, M PLAETORIVS M F AED CVR around. Extremely beautifully struck for issue, especially with the fully struck reverse. Choice EF 375
186. **M. AEMILIUS SCAURUS AND PUB. PLAUTIUS HYPSAEUS**, 58 BC, Denarius, 3.87g Cr-422/1b, Syd-913, Aemilia 8 Obv. Kneeling figure (King Aretas of Nabataea) holding reins of camel, M SCAVR / AED CVR above, EX on l., SC on r.; [RE]X ARET[AS] in exergue. Rx. Jupiter in quadriga l.; P HPSAE / AED CVR above, CAPT V on r., C HPSAE COS PREIV in exergue. Some iridescent toning. Mint State 500
187. **L. MARCIUS PHILIPPUS**, 56 BC, Denarius, 3.83g Cr-425/1, Syd-919, Marcia 28 Obv. Diademed head of Ancus Marcius r., lituus behind, ANCVS below. Rx. Equestrian statue on arcade of five arches, PHILIPPVS behind rider, A Q V A MAR on arches. Ex Davissons 28, December 2009, lot 55. Toned VF / aEF 350
188. **C. COELIUS CALDVS**, 51 BC, Denarius, 3.44g Cr-437/1a, Syd-891, Coelia 4 Obv. C COEL CALDVS Head of the consul C. Coelius Calvus r., below, COS and behind, tablet inscribed L D. Rx. CALDVS IIIVIR Head of Sol r., behind, oval shield decorated with thunderbolt; before, Macedonian shield. Good VF 1600
189. **P. CORNELIUS LENTULUS MARCELLINUS**, 50 BC, Denarius, 3.72g Cr-439/1, Syd-1147, Claudia 11 Obv. Head of the consul M. Claudius Marcellinus r., MARCELLINVS before, triskeles behind. Rx. M. Claudius Marcellinus carrying trophy within tetrastyle temple, MARCELLVS on r., COS QVINQ on l. Ex Nancy Walsh Collection. Scarce. Planchet defect on reverse at 4h. Toned aEF 1750
190. **ALBINUS BRUTI F.**, 43 BC, 43 BC, Denarius, 3.84g Cr-450/1a, Syd-941, Postumia-11 Obv. Helmeted head of young Mars r. Rx. Crossed Gaulish trumpets, oval shield above, round shield below, ALBINVS to l., BRVTI F to r. Ex Gemma X, 13 January 2013, lot 189 (Randy Haviland Collection). Near Mint State 475
191. **LOLLIUS PALICANUS**, 45 BC, Denarius, 3.43g Cr-473/1, Syd-960, Lollia 2 Obv. Head of Liberty r. Rx. View of Rostra in the Forum, surmounted by a sella. Ex M&M Numismatics USA, List 1, lot 114. Extremely beautiful iridescent surfaces. Two small bankers' marks on obverse. Mint State 1200
192. **P. CLODIUS M.F. TURRINUS**, 42 BC, Denarius, 4g Cr-494/23, Syd-1117, Claudia 15 Obv. Laureate head of Apollo r., lyre behind. Rx. P CLODIVS on r., MF on l., Diana Lucifera standing holding two long torches, bow and quiver on her shoulder. Toned EF / VF 300
- IMPERATORIAL SILVER**
193. **AULUS ALLIENUS FOR JULIUS CAESAR**, Sicily, 47 BC, Denarius, 3.97g Cr-457/1, Syd-1022 (R7), C-1 (80 Fr.), Sear, Imperators-54 Obv. C CAESAR [I] MP COS ITER Diademed and draped bust of Venus r. Rx. A ALLIENVS PRO COS Tinnacus standing l., r. foot on prow, holding triskeles. Ex Gemma X, 13 January 2013, lot 204 (Randy Haviland Collection). Ex Haman J. Beik 129, 24 October 2002, lot 158. Struck by the governor of Sicily, Aulus Allienus, while Caesar was in Sicily late in 47 BC organizing the army with which he was to invade Africa and defeat the Pompeians at Thapsus. Fine+ 1600
- Caesar Portrait from Old Collection**
194. **JULIUS CAESAR**, 44 BC, Rome, Denarius, 4.58g Cr-480/11, Syd-1072, Sear, Imperators-107b Obv. Wreathed head of Caesar r., CAESAR before, DICT PERPETVO behind. Rx. Venus standing l., head bowed, holding Victory and scepter resting on star, P SEPVLLIVS behind, MACER before. From the same dies as Alföldi, Caesar in 44 v Chr., pl. LIX, 80. With an old collector's ticket in English, recorded in ex Sunderman Collection, December 1902. Well struck other than the top of the wreath which extends beyond the head. Toned EF 7500
195. **JULIUS CAESAR**, Rome, 44 BC, moneyer P. Sepullius Macer, Denarius, 3.94g Cr-480/13, Syd-1074; C-39 (8 Fr.), Sear, Imperators-107d Obv. CAESAR [D]ICT PERPETVO Head wreathed and veiled. Rx. P SEPVLLIVS MACER Venus standing l., holding Victory and scepter, shield on ground behind her. Ex Gemma X, 13 January 2013, lot 277 (Randy Haviland Collection). Nicely toned. aEF 6500
196. **JULIUS CAESAR**, Posthumous issue of 44 BC, Denarius, 3.67g Cr-480/19, Syd-1069, Sear Imperators-112, C-8 (20 Fr.), Obv. CAESAR - PARENTPATRIAE Veiled, wreathed head r., apex behind, lituus below chin. Rx. C COSSVTVS MARID - IANVS in form of cross, A A A F in angle. From the same dies as Alföldi, Caesar in 44 Chr., pl. CXXVII, 2-5. Alföldi found 11 specimens of this denarius, from 15 obverse and 15 reverse dies. This type is one of the rarer Caesar portrait issues. While it has substantial flatness in the lower part of the obverse, the portrait is very pleasant and complete. Pleasant VF 3850
197. **JULIUS CAESAR SUPREMACY**, 57-16 BC, Time of Julius Caesar's Supremacy, Tetradrachm, Syria, Antioch, Year 3=47/6 BC, 15.52g RPC-4127 (a single spec recorded by Newell, not seen by the authors of RPC). Rx. Zeus seated l. between king's name l. and r. and thunderbolts above and below, monogram in field. Very rare with this date. The dates are of the Caesarian era and continued until Year 33=17/6 BC. Some green encrustation from earth. Near Mint State 600
198. **JULIUS CAESAR AND MARK ANTONY**, 43 BC, Denarius, 3.84g Cr-488/2, Syd-1166, Sear, Imperators-123 Obv. MANTO IMP R P C Bare head of Mark Antony r., lituus behind. Rx. CAESAR DIC Wreathed head of Caesar r., patcher behind. Fine+ 1850
- Brutus Portrait**
199. **L. SERVIUS RUFUS**, 43 BC, Rome, Denarius, 3.72g Cr-515/2, Syd-1082 (R6), Sulpicia 10, Sear Imperators-324 Obv. Bare head r. of Servius Sulpicius Rufus with features of Brutus, RVFVS behind, L SERVIVS before. Rx. Dioscuri standing facing each holding spear and with sword hanging from waist and star above head. The portrait on the obverse, though unnamed, is as Sydenham recognized unmistakably that of Brutus. Other denarii of the same year portrayed Octavian and an older man, possibly C. Vibius Pansa, one of the consuls of 43 BC, also without naming them. Crawford erroneously attributed this issue to 41 BC, for the correct date, 43 BC, which had already been recognized by Mommsen, Sydenham, Pink, Buttery, and Alföldi, see B. Woytek, Arma et Nummi, pp. 433-445. Rare (R6 in Sydenham) and important, the only "affordable" portrait coin of Brutus. Portraits of Brutus on the Eid Mar denarius and the gold aureus bring from \$200K-\$600K. This coin is universally accepted as a coin of Brutus and in our opinion there is no question about this. Normally this issue

- comes in rather low grade and somewhat corroded. This is the best example that we have ever seen. Lightly toned with some hints of iridescence. Good VF 9830
200. **C. CASSIUS, STRUCK BY LENTULUS SPINTER**, Denarius, 42 BC, probably at Smyrna, 3.95g Cr-500/1, Syd-1308 (R9), Sear Imperators-219. Obv: Trepid amounting by caudon, fillet hanging on either side. C. CASSI on l. IMP on r. Ex: Patcher and Luster. LENTULVS SPINTER below. Mint State 3600
201. **LABIENUS**, 40 BC, Denarius, 3.20g Cr-524/2, Syd-1337 (R9), C-2 (600 Fr.), Sear, Imperators-341. Obv: Q. LABIENVS PARTHICVS IMP Head r. Rr: Parthian horse standing r. with bridle and saddle, to which bow case and quiver are attached. Ex Gemma X, 13 January 2013, lot 383 (Randy Haviland Collection). Ex Hadrian J. Berk 125, 27 February 2002, lot 348. Rare (R9 in Sydenham) and always in demand. C. Herish, *Coinage of Quintus Labienus Parthicus*, Schw. Num. Rundschau 59, 1980, records only 34 specimens of this denarius, struck from eight obverse and twenty reverse dies. Our piece is from Herish's obverse die B but a new reverse die (similar to Herish's 19). Fine 14750
202. **MARK ANTONY**, 32-31 BC, Denarius, 3.92g Cr-544/14, Syd-1216, Sear, Imperators-349. Obv: ANT AVG III VIR RPC. Praetorian galley r. Rr: LEG III Legonary eagle between two standards. EF 1600
203. **MARK ANTONY**, 32-31 BC, Denarius, 3.33g Cr-544/15, Syd-1217, C-28 (2 Fr.), Sear, Imperators-350. Obv: Galley r. Rr: LEG III Legonary eagle between two standards. Exceptionally beautiful. Near Mint State 2000
- ROMAN IMPERIAL SILVER**
204. **AUGUSTUS**, 27 BC-14 AD, c. 36-31 AD, Denarius, 3.49g BM-624, Paris-66, RIC-267, C-123 (5 Fr.). Obv: Head of Octavian bare r., no legend. Rr: IMP [CAESAR] on architrave of arch surmounted by facing quadriga bearing Octavian, who extends his arms and holds the reins of all four horses. Some obverse porosity with a scrape on arch. VF 550
205. **AUGUSTUS**, 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 15-12 BC, Denarius, 3.80g BM-451, Paris-1373, C-137, RIC-167a. Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head bare r. Rr: [IMP] X in exergue, Bull butting r., pawing ground and flicking tail. These dies apparently not illustrated in Giard, Monnayage... de Lyon. With ticket of New Amsterdam Coin Galleries, NYC. Sharply struck. Pleasant toning. Choice EF 1750
206. **AUGUSTUS**, 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 11-9 BC, Denarius, 3.72g BM-472, Paris-1433, C-155, RIC-187a. Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head laureate r. Rr: IMPXII in exergue, Bull butting r., flicking tail. This IMP XII issue is rarer than the previous lot with IMP X. Head of bull exhibits minor flatness. Choice EF with luster 2250
207. **AUGUSTUS**, 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 2 BC-4 AD, Denarius, 3.74g BM-519, C-43, Paris-1651, RIC-207. Obv: CAESAR AVGVSTVS - DIVI F PATER PATRIAE Head laureate r. Rr: C. L. CAESARES in exergue, AVGVSTI F COS DESIG PRINC IVVENT around, Gaius and Lucius Caesars standing holding honorary shields and spears, amiculum and lituus above. The commonest denarius of Augustus, but rare in this condition. Struck on a broad flan with excellent luster. Mint State 1000
208. **TIBERIUS**, 14-37 AD, Lugdunum, Denarius, 3.74g BM-48, Paris-28, RIC-30, C-16. Obv: [TI CAESAR] DIVI - AVG F AVGVSTVS Head laureate r. Rr: PONTIF - MAXIM Livia seated r. holding scepter and branch, throne legs ornamented, footstool below feet, angle line beneath throne. eEF 750
209. **TIBERIUS**, 14-37 AD, Lugdunum, Denarius, 3.60g BM-48, C-16, Paris-28, RIC-30. Obv: TI CAESAR DIVI - AVG F AVGVSTVS Head laureate r. Rr: PONTIF - MAXIM Livia seated r. holding scepter and branch, throne legs ornamented, footstool below feet, angle line beneath throne. eEF 750
210. **CALIGULA**, 37-41 AD, Lugdunum, 37 AD, Denarius, 3.75g BM-12, Paris-15, C-4 (25 Fr.), RIC-12 (R2). Obv: C. CAESAR AVG GERM P M TR POT Head bare of Caligula r. Rr: GERMANICVS CAES P C CAES AVG GERM Bare head of Germanicus. These dies not illustrated in Giard's Monnayage... de Lyon. The portrait of Germanicus on the reverse is unusually large and has a hooked nose, reminiscent of many portraits of Tiberius. This coin is extremely interesting in that the portrait of Germanicus has more of an unsane stare typical of Caligula than the actual Caligula portrait which looks rather placid. Nearly EF 6500
- Exquisite Claudius Forrée**
211. **CLAUDIUS I**, 41-54 AD, British mint, 50-51 AD, Plated Forrée Denarius, 2.59g. Reproducing the solid silver piece BM-66, RIC-34, and C-93. Obv: TI CLAVD CAESAR AVG P M TR P X IMP P Head laureate r. Rr: SPQR / P / OB C S in oak wreath. The reverse legend states "The Senate and the Roman People (dedicated this wreath to Claudius) the father of his country because he has saved the lives of his fellow-citizens." Ex Berk 141, 5 January 2005, lot 219. Our piece comes from the Wortham hoard of at least 172 plated denarii of Claudius that was unearthed near Wortham in Suffolk, England in the 1990s, from which the British Museum acquired 90 pieces and recorded and photographed most of the rest. These plated denarii were apparently produced in Britain not many years after Claudius' conquest of the island in 43 AD. The excellent style of the plated denarii in this hoard could suggest that the Romans themselves may have been trying to stretch their silver. This is by far the finest of the examples we have handled from the hoard. Mint State 5500
212. **GALBA**, 68-69 AD, Gaul, Denarius, 3.73g BM-227, C-322 (12 Fr.), RIC-113 (R2). Obv: SER GALBA - IMPERATOR Head laureate r. Rr: [VIC]TORIA - P R Victory standing l. on globe, holding wreath and palm. Rare type: not in the Paris collection, only three specimens in Berk photofile, one in CoinArchives Pro. Part of wreath flatly struck. EF 4500
- Extremely Rare Left Facing Otho**
213. **OTHO**, 69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.44g BM-4, pl. 60.3 (same dies), C-5 (citing BM, 20 Fr.), RIC-6. Obv: IMP OTHO CAES[AR] AVG TR P Head bare left. Rr: PAX ORBIS - [T]ERRARVM Pax standing l. holding branch and caduceus. Very rare with portrait left. Of the 47 denarii of Otho in the Reka Devnia hoard, only one had portrait left, and that one had the Securitas reverse type, not Pax like our coin. The Pax type with portrait left is missing from the Paris collection, so Cohen had to cite this variety from the BM specimen, which is from the same die pair as ours. In his corpus of over one thousand images of Otho denarii in museums, publications, and online, Jyrki Muona has found only five coins like ours, making it the second rarest Otho denarius. Excellent portrait. aVF 4500
- Magnificent Portrait**
214. **OTHO**, 69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.31g BM-11, Paris-29, RIC-24 (R3), C-7 (12 Fr.). Obv: IMP OTHO CAESAR AVG TR P Head bare r. Rr: PONT - MAX Vesta seated l. on high-backed throne with fringed seat cover, holding patera and transverse scepter. Rare reverse type of this rare emperor: only one specimen in Reka Devnia Hoard, compared to 25 specimens of his commonest type (Securitas standing). Most of the issues of Otho show a standing figure and are weakly struck on the reverse. While part of Otho's name is off the flan, this coin is otherwise remarkably wonderful. It exhibits a handsome, large, fully struck portrait with an extremely sharp reverse. Of the 34 examples recorded of this type, this appears to be the best. Mint State 3500
215. **VESPASIAN**, 69-79 AD, Rome, 70 AD, Denarius, 3.16g, RIC-2 (C2), BM-35, Paris-23, C-226 (5 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG Head laureate r. Rr: IVDAEA in exergue, Mourning Jewess seated r. on ground beside trophy. Toned EF 1400
- Very Rare Fourrée**
216. **VESPASIAN**, 69-79 AD, 70 AD, Denarius fourrée, 2.92g BM-336, Paris-431, pl. XL (same dies), C-228 (5 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAES VES - P AVG P M Head laureate r. Rr: IVDAEA in exergue (in arc), Mourning Jewess seated r. on ground beside trophy, head resting on hand. A plated ancient imitation with a hybrid type combination, joining an obverse of 71 with the IVDAEA reverse of 70. Very rare, possibly struck from just the one die pair that is shared by our coin and the Paris specimen BM-336 is not illustrated, but might also be from the same dies, since it too has the break VES - P
- in the obverse legend and the reverse legend IVDAEA in arc. aVF 1000
217. **VESPASIAN**, 69-79 AD, Rome, 79 AD, Denarius, 3.42g BM-246-247, C-552 (5 Fr.), RIC-1063 (C), Paris-214, Hendin-1485. Obv: IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG Head laureate r. Rr: TR POT X - COS VIII Victory standing l. setting shield on trophy, below which sits captive. Ex Devissions, December 2004. Near Mint State 800
- Ephesus Dynastic Denarius**
218. **VESPASIAN**, 69-79 AD, Ephesus, 69-70 AD, Denarius, 3.16g RIC-1411 (R), RPC-319 (3 spec.), BM-443, C-249 (12 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAESAR VESPAS AVG COS II TR P P Head laureate r. Rr: LIBERI IMP - AVG VESPAS Titus and Domitian, togate and veiled, standing front, each holding patera, tilted P in lower l. field. Ex Goldberg 75, 24 September 2013, lot 2587. A few years ago, denarii of Ephesus were available in the market. That is not so now. When they were available we didn't see an example of this issue that is this fine. The portrait of Vespasian is struck in very high relief and the portraits of Domitian and Titus are flawlessly struck as well. Near Mint State 2500
219. **DOMITIAN**, 81-96 AD, Rome, 85 AD, Plated Denarius, 3.08g As RIC-176, but plated and with aegis on portrait. Obv: IMP CAES DOMITIANVS - S AVG GERMANIC Bust laureate r., aegis with Medusa head on front shoulder and behind neck. Rr: P M TR POT III - IMP V COS X P P Minerva advancing r. brandishing spear and holding shield. EF 350
- Games Issue**
220. **DOMITIAN**, 81-96 AD, Rome, 88/9 AD, Denarius, 3.39g RIC-596 (C2), BM-131, Paris-120, C-76/7 (25 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAES DOMIT AVG - GERM P M TR P VIII Head laureate r. Rr: COS XIII - LYD SAEC FEC Herald walking l., wearing feathered cap, holding wand and shield decorated with helmeted head of Minerva facing r. The reverse legend states that Domitian has celebrated Secular games, and the type probably shows one of the heralds who announced his intention to celebrate them. Rare, not represented in Reka Devnia hoard. The new RIC rates this coin as far commoner than it actually is, probably because its historical reverse type, desired by collectors and readily saleable by dealers, has led to its over-representation in collections and among the illustrated pieces in the sales literature. Darkly toned from being in the earth. The earthen vestiges on the reverse give this coin a very pleasant cameo effect. EF 2000
- Rare Variant**
221. **TRAJAN**, 98-117 AD, Rome, c. 108-9 AD, Denarius, 3.07g MIR-2836C (79 spec.), BM-391, Paris-457, C-120, RIC-98. Rr: DAC CAP in exergue, COS V P P SPQR OPTIMO PRINC around, Dacian seated l., mourning, on round shield between two oblong shields, 1. foot resting on helmet, to l. and r., two spears and two curved swords. A rare variant of the reverse type with two spears to the left and two curved swords to the right of the seated Dacian, rather than vice versa. Woytek-2336C knew only two specimens with this variety, compared to 77 specimens with the normal variety. With other bust or portrait types he knew one specimen with the rare variety, as against 85 specimens with the normal variety. Good VF 350
222. **HADRIAN**, 117-138 AD, Rome, 138 AD, Denarius, 3.44g BM-480, C-338, RIC-332. Obv: HADRIANVS - AVGVSTVS P P Bust laureate r. with field of cloak on front shoulder. Rr: COS - III Roma seated r. on curru and shield, holding spear and parazonium. Ex Heritage 3026, Long Beach, 25 September 2013, lot 23359. Mint state Hadrian denarii in fine style have become rather scarce on today's market. Mint State 600
223. **HADRIAN**, 117-138 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, c. 119 AD, Cistophoric Tetradrachm, 15.04g, Prieux-157. Obv: AYT KAI OE TPA HAP YI OE NEP YI TPAI AAPIANOC CEB Laureate, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rr: AHMAPX EEPYIATT Eagle with head l. standing on leg and thigh of sacrificial animal. Extremely beautiful and elaborate portrait of Hadrian. Mint State 2500
224. **AELIUS AS CAESAR**, 136-138 AD, Rome, 137 AD, Denarius, 3.11g BM-981, C-1 var (12 Fr.), RIC-436. Rr: CONCORD TR POT COS II Concordia seated l. holding patera and resting l. elbow on large cornucopia reaching to ground. Scarce, 30 specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. High relief portrait. Brilliant luster. eF 975
225. **ANTONINUS PIUS**, 138-161 AD, Rome, 149-50 AD, Denarius, 3.58g BM-670, C-281, RIC-181. Obv: TR P XII Rr: C - OS - IIII Salus standing l. extending patera to serpent rising from altar and holding rudder on globe. Ex Philip Davis Collection. Excellent portrait. Mint State 325
226. **MARCUS AURELIUS AS CAESAR**, 139-161 AD, Denarius, Rome, 145-7 AD, 3.51g BM-594, C-110, RIC-429a. Rr: CO - S II IIos standing l. holding branch and cornucopia. Attractive example of young Marcus Aurelius. Legends and portrait clear and good metal. EF 365
227. **LUCIUS VERUS**, 161-169 AD, Rome, 168 AD, Denarius, 3.41g BM-481, C-318, RIC-595. Obv: L VERVS AVG ARM - PARTH MAX Head laureate r. Rr: TR P VIII IMP V COS III Aequitas seated l. holding scales and cornucopia. Ex Berk 132, 14 May 2003, lot 440. eEF 250
228. **LUCILLA**, Rome, Denarius, 3.31g BM-338, C-28, RIC-769. Obv: LVCILLA - AVGVSTA Bust draped r. Rr: HIL - A - RITAS Hilaritas standing l. holding long palm and cornucopia. Not common: 26 specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. Ex Philip Davis Collection. Excellent high relief portrait. Toned Near Mint State 425
229. **COMMODUS**, 177-192 AD, Denarius, Rome, 187 AD, 2.66g Bust var. of BM-219, C-523, and RIC-143. Obv: M COMMANT P - FEL AVG BRIT Bust laureate, draped r. Rr: P M TR P XII IMP - VIII COS V P P Felicitas standing l. holding short caduceus and scepter. On Commodus' denarii as co-emperor under Marcus Aurelius, a curru, cloak, or both could be added to his laureate portrait, but during his sole reign virtually all of his denarii showed simply his laureate head, and any addition of curru or cloak was exceptional and rare. Our draped bust with the Felicitas type on a denarius of 187 is not in the standard catalogues, but C. Clay has noted two similar specimens offered by Ancient Auction House, eBay, 6 December 2005, and by Rauch 86, 2010, 887. From the Samuel Fuchs Collection of Denarii of Commodus. EF 350
- Ex Ryan, Vierordt and Imhoof-Blumer**
230. **MANLIA SCANTILLA**, Rome, 193 AD, Denarius, C-2, RIC-7A. Obv: MANLIA SCAN - TILLA AVG Bust draped r. Rr: IVNO RE - GINA Juno, veiled, standing l. holding patera and scepter, peacock at feet. Ex Berk 72, 4 August 1992, lot 249. Ex Leu 54, 1990 lot 265. Ex Ryan 1951, lot 2206. Ex Laughlin. Ex Vierordt 1923, lot 1790. Ex Imhoof-Blumer lot 1053, J. Hirsch 18, 1907. One could not find a more pedigreed denarius of Manlia Scantilla, dating back over 100 years. Planchet defect from striking in the lower part of the empress's jaw. Toned EF 8000
231. **PESCENNIVS NIGER**, 193-194 AD, Antioch, Denarius, 2.68g Obv: legend var. of BM-299, RIC-5, and C-10 (200 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAES C PESC - EN NIG IVSI AVG Head laureate r. Rr: BON[IT] EV - ENTVS Fides Publica standing l. holding plate of fruit and two wheat ears. Unusual obverse legend with only NIG not NIGER. Our obverse legend, with IVST not IVSI, is recorded by Ted Buttery in Num. Chronicle 152, 1992, President's Address, p. viii, but without specification of the location of the coin and the relevant reverse type. Excellent portrait with full name. Struck on usual, somewhat poor silver. EF 3950
- Unique Niger Denarius**
232. **PESCENNIVS NIGER**, 193-194 AD, Caesarea, Denarius, 2.78g Zedelius, Münzprägung von Pertinax bis Clodius Albinus, p. 56, pl. XI.5 (this coin), bust and rev note var. of C-68 (Caesarea coll. 200 Fr.) = BMC 312A note. Obv: IMP CAES C PESC - NIGER IVST AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from behind. Rr: SALVTI - AVGVSTI Salus standing r. holding snake and feeding it from patera, without altar below. Ex M & M Ltd 358, July 1974, lot 30. The sole specimen known to Zedelius. Apparently unique with draped and cuirassed bust seen from behind on the obverse, and the SALVTI AVGVSTI type without altar at Salus' feet on the reverse. The same SALVTI AVGVSTI type without altar is also known combined with Niger's draped and cuirassed bust seen from the front, Zedelius pl.

- XI 2-3, also very rare, and the draped and cuirassed bust type seen from behind is known coupled with three other reverse types, namely SALVTI AVGVSTI with altar, IVSTITIA AVGVSTI standing left, and FIDEI EXERCITVI Three standards, the middle one with a medallion inscribed VIC / AVG, Zedehus pl. XI 6-10. All five of these illustrated denarii are from the same obverse die as our coin, underlining the rarity of this draped and cuirassed bust type seen from behind on Niger's denarii. The normal bust type on Niger's denarii, at both Caesarea and Antioch, was of course his plain Head laureate right. EF 5500
233. **CARACALLA AS CAESAR**, 195-198 AD, Rome, 197 AD, Denarius, 3.28g, BM-193, C-53 var (12 Fr). Rx: DESTINATO IMPERAT Lituus, apex (priestly cap), bucranium (skull of sacrificed bull), ladle. The reverse calls Caracalla "emperor to be", a title accorded otherwise only to Titus as Caesar. The bucranium, here depicted with a beaded band tied around the bull's forehead and hanging down on both sides, is an unusual priestly attribute on Roman coins, otherwise occurring only on a small medallion of Commodus Caesar (BM pl. 84.13) and on the aureus and denarius of Augustus once attributed to Caius Caesar (BM pl. 17.14-15; see H. Dressel, *Röm. Medaillone*, zu Berlin, pp. 115-8). Interesting reverse legend and reverse type. Slight flattening on Caracalla's hair. Toned Mint State. 150
- Macrinus Antoninianus**
234. **MACRINUS**, 217-218 AD, Rome, 217 AD, Antoninianus, 4.03g, RSC-126b, RIC-95, bust var. of BM-27. Obv: IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., with short beard. Rx: SECVRITAS TEMPORVM Securitas seated l. before altar, holding scepter in r. hand and supporting head with l. hand. Ex CNG 69, 8 June 2005, lot 1669. Rare, like all antoniniani of Macrinus only two specimens with this reverse type in Reka Devnia hoard. Toned EF 1250
235. **MACRINUS**, 217-218 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.49g, BM-62, RSC-15b, RIC-60. Obv: IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front, with long beard. Rx: FELICITAS TEMPORVM Felicitas standing l. holding long caduceus and cornucopia. aEF 300
236. **DIADUMENIANUS AS CAESAR**, 217-218 AD, Antoninianus, Rome, 217 AD, 5.36g, C-11 (80 Fr), BM-82 note, RIC-106. Obv: M OPEL DIADUMENIANVS CAES Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: PRINC IVVENTVTIS Diadumenian standing l. holding baton and scepter, two standards behind him topped by eagle and wreath respectively. Very rare denomination for Diadumenian, since Macrinus halted the production of antoniniani soon after the beginning of his reign. Only the 25th antoninianus of Diadumenian known to C. Clay from his material covering many public and private collections, dealers' stocks, and published sources. These 25 coins come from five obverse dies, two with bust type as our coin and three with bust radiate draped seen from behind, and from ten reverse dies. Ex Berk 149, 24 May 2006, lot 360. With only one antoninianus against 83 denarii of Diadumenian in the Reka Devnia hoard, antoniniani of the ephemeral Caesar seem to be almost one hundred times rarer than his denarii. Slightly granular, but EF 4250
237. **SEVERUS ALEXANDER**, 222-235 AD, Rome, 230 AD, Denarius, 3.39g, BM-631, RSC-391a, RIC-102. Obv: IMP SEV ALE XAND AVG Bust laureate r., fold of cloak on front shoulder and behind neck. Rx: P M TR P V - IIII - COS II P Sol standing right, head left, raising r. hand and holding globe in l. Ex Berk 105, 17 November 1998, lot 413. The surfaces on this coin, especially the obverse, can be described by a term used for American Morgan dollars, Proof-like. Mint State. 400
- FDC Paulina**
238. **PAULINA, DIVA**, Rome, Denarius, 3.08g, BM-127, RIC-2, C-2 (50 Fr). Obv: DIVA PAULINA Bust draped, veiled r. Rx: CONSECRATIO Paulina, veiled, seated l. on peacock flying r., waving goodbye and holding scepter. Rare: only one specimen in Reka Devnia hoard. Of the Paulina denarii we have had over the years, this is without a doubt one of the finest. FDC 3750
- Gordian II Africanus**
239. **GORDIAN II AFRICANUS**, 238 AD, Denarius, 3.27g, BM-19, C-5 (120 Fr), RIC-1 (R2). Obv: IMP M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG Laureate, draped, cuirassed bust r. Rx: PROVIDENTIA AVGG Providentia standing l. leaning on column, legs crossed, holding wand and cornucopia, globe at feet. Ex Berk 137, 31 March 2004, lot 432. The two Gordian Africanus had a shorter reign than any other regular emperor up to 250 AD. This denarius of Gordian II exhibits a flawless portrait and is unimprovable. Mint State. 7850
240. **PUPILIUS**, 238 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.10g, BM-46, C-22 (10 Fr), RIC-4. Obv: IMP C M L ODO P P IENVS AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: PAX PVBLICA Pax seated l. holding branch and scepter. Sharp portrait. EF 1200
241. **PHILIP I**, 244-249 AD, Rome, 248 AD, Antoninianus, 4.42g, RIC-21, C-189. Rx: SAECVLARES AVGG Antelope walking l., officina number UI=6 in exergue. Mint State. 250
- Hippo Reverse**
242. **OTACILIA SEVERA, WIFE OF PHILIP I**, Antoninianus, Rome, 248 AD, 4.61g, RIC-116b, C-64 (3 Fr). Rx: SAECVLARES AVGG Hippopotamus standing r., raising head, officina number IIII=4 in exergue. Broad, heavy specimen with virtually complete circle of dots on both sides. The issues of this empress with the hippo reverse have always been desirable and are certainly scarce. This exquisite example is struck on a broad flan with beautiful toning. Choice EF 400
243. **PHILIP II AS AUGUSTUS**, 247-249 AD, Antioch, 249 AD, Antoninianus, 3.84g, RIC-236, C-40. Obv: IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: P M TR P VI COS P P Togete, veiled emperor standing l., holding patera over tripod altar and half-length scepter. Ex Gorny & Mosch 200, 10 October 2011, lot 2750. Nice, large flan with crack at 1h. Nice silver and good details. Mint State. 250
244. **HERENNIVS ETRUSCUS AS CAESAR**, 250-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.94g, RIC-147, C-26. Obv: Q HER ETR MES DECIVS NOB C Bust radiate, draped r. Rx: PRINCIP I IVVENTVTIS Herennius standing l. in tunic and cloak, holding wand and transverse spear. Near Mint State. 150
245. **HOSTILIAN AS CAESAR, REVERSE LEGEND MISPELLED**, 250-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.81g, Rev. legend var. of RIC-180 and C-30 (6 Fr). Obv: C VALENS HOSTIL MES QVINTVS N C Bust radiate, draped r. Rx: PRINCIP I IVVENTVTIS (sic, second T of IVVENTVTIS left out) Apollo seated l. holding branch and resting elbow on lyre. A rare reverse type on Hostilian's antoniniani, represented by only two specimens in the Dorchester hoard, none in the Euzou hoard, though the same type is quite common on his sestertii. Our coin with the reverse legend error appears to be unpublished, though another specimen from the same reverse die, with the legend error unnoticed, was in Rauch MBS 11, 12 Sept. 2006, lot 1046. aEF 350
246. **VOLUSIAN, SON OF TREBONIANUS GALLUS**, 251-253 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 4.38g, RIC-166, C-8. Obv: IMP CAE C VIB VOLVSIVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: AEQVITAS AVGG Aequitas standing l. holding scales and cornucopia. Not common: 27 specimens in Dorchester Hoard. Mint State. 200
247. **VALERIAN I**, 253-260 AD, "Viminacium", Antoninianus, 3.29g, RIC-241 (Milan), C-71, Cuneto Hoard-765 (2 spec). Obv: IMP VALERIANVS P AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: FIDE - S MILITVM Fides standing l., head r., holding vexillum and transverse standard. Mint State. 200
248. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Antoninianus, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, 2.34g, Cuneto Hoard-1337 (233 spec), RIC-283. Rx: SOLI CONS AVG Winged horse prancing. A=officina 1 in exergue. EF 100
249. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.78g, Gobl-713b (123 spec), Cuneto Hoard-1341 (198 spec), RIC-230, C-586 (3 Fr). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: LIBERO F CONS AVG Tigress walking l., B=officina 2 in exergue. Near Mint State. 140
250. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.86g, Gobl-716b (239 spec), Cuneto-1344 (240 spec), officina letter var. of RIC-181 and C-165. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: DIA - NAE CONS AVG Antelope standing l., head advanced ("walking"), I (=officina 3) in exergue. EF 200
251. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.84g, Gobl-728z (106 spec), Cuneto-1357 (125 spec), RIC-176. Obv: IMP GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: DIANA CONS AVG Doe standing r., head l., E=officina 5 in exergue. Silvered Mint State. 100
252. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.76g, Gobl-727b (20 spec), Cuneto-1365 (20 spec), RIC-177. Obv: [G]ALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: DIANA CONS [AVG] Doe standing l., head r., E=officina 5 in exergue. Scarcer variant with doe standing left rather than right. EF 90
253. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 266-8 AD, Antoninianus, 1.52g, Gobl-729b (27 spec), Cuneto-1367 (3 spec), C-317 (3 Fr), RIC-202. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: HERCVLI CONS AVG Boar standing r., E=officina 5 in exergue. One of the rarer types in Gallienus' animal series, wrongly rated "Common" in RIC. Not completely struck on reverse, but well-struck for issue. Fine / VF. 140
254. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.23g, Cuneto Hoard-1375 (109 spec), Gobl-731b (126 spec), RIC-207. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: IOVI CONS AVG Goat-stag mixture standing r., S=officina 6 in exergue. Ex Hailan J. Berk Ltd. EF 140
255. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.78g, Gobl-735b (194 spec), Cuneto-1378 (143 spec), RIC-163, C-72 (1 Fr). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: [AP]OLLINI CON - S [AVG] Centaur walking r. about to shoot arrow from bow, Z=officina 7 in exergue. Fine / aEF 80
256. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.65g, Gobl-738b (210 spec), Cuneto Hoard-1386 (245 spec), RIC-164, C-73. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: APOLLINI CONS AVG Centaur walking l. holding globe and rudder, H=officina 8 in exergue. EF 250
257. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Antoninianus, Rome, 3.06g, Gobl-743b, Cuneto Hoard-1392 (146 spec), RIC-245. Obv: [G]ALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: NE - PTVNO CONS AV - G Hippocamp r., N=officina 9 in exergue. VF / EF 100
258. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.29g, Gobl-749b (30 spec), Cuneto Hoard-1404 (16 spec), RIC-285, C-983 (2 Fr). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: SOLI CONS AVG Bull standing r., in exergue XI (=officina 11). A rare secondary type in Gallienus' animal series: the animal associated with the legend naming the sun god is usually a winged horse not a bull. EF 250
259. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.86g, Gobl-750b (194 spec), Cuneto Hoard-1408 (182 spec), RIC-181, C-165. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: DIANA CONS AVG Gazelle standing l., in exergue XII (=officina 12). EF 100
260. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.61g, Gobl-751b (26 spec), Cuneto-1415 (6 spec), RIC-181, C-162. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: DIANA CONS AVG Gazelle standing r., XII (=officina 12) in exergue. EF 145
261. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Milan, Antoninianus, 3.22g, Gobl-920h (38 spec), Cuneto Hoard-750 (5 spec), RIC-380. Obv: IMP GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate l. Rx: DIANA FELIX Diana running r. accompanied by dog, about to draw arrow from quiver and holding bow. VF / EF 100
262. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Milan, Antoninianus, 2.43g, Gobl-1146m (133 spec), Cuneto-1588 (18 spec), RIC-473, C-173 (3 Fr). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: DIAN - AFELIX Diana standing r. holding bow and spear, at feet hound running. VF / EF 100
263. **GALLIENUS**, 253-268 AD, Imitative Antoninianus, 2.13g, Copying Gobl-1626 and RIC-656 of Antioch. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: SAECV - Stag walking r. The reverse legend beginning at 4 o'clock, and retrograde, except for the initial S, which is not reversed. Silvered Mint State. 125
264. **SALONINA**, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.03g, Gobl-227b (240 spec), Cuneto-651 (1779 spec), RIC-29. Obv: SALONI - NAE AVG Bust draped r. on crescent, wearing stephane. Rx: IVNO REGINA Juno standing l. holding patera and scepter. Ex Berk 116, 17 October 2000, lot 641. Full silver. Mint State. 150
265. **SALONINA**, Rome, 266-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.53g, Gobl-725cc (112 spec), Cuneto-1418 (82 spec), RIC-16, C-70. Obv: COR SALONINA AVG Bust draped r. on crescent, wearing stephane. Rx: IVNONI CONS AVG Bearded and antlered goat walking l., Δ (=officina 4) in exergue. EF 100
266. **SALONINA**, Rome, 266-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.92g, Gobl-pl. 130, 20 (Goebbling hoard, different dies). Obv: COR SALONINA AVG Bust draped r. on crescent, wearing stephane. Rx: IVNONI CONS AVG Bearded and antlered goat walking l., Δ (=officina 4) in exergue. Despite fairly convincing uneven edge, pitting, and apparent remains of red deposits, this coin is probably a modern cast, since its metal appears to be silver, whereas genuine coins of this issue contained very little silver and look like bronze coins. Nevertheless the coin probably derives from an authentic original, and is therefore of interest for preserving record of a new, second die showing the engraver's error IVNONO for IVNONI in the reverse legend. Full silver. VF 200
267. **SALONINA**, Lugdunum, Antoninianus, 2.98g, Gobl-904c (13 spec), Cuneto Hoard-735 (64 spec), RIC-8, C-134. Obv: SALONIN - A AVG Bust draped r. on crescent, wearing stephane. Rx: VENVS VICTRIX Venus standing r., seen partially from behind, nude apart from drapery around legs, leaning on column and holding apple and palm. Full silver. VF 150
268. **VALERIAN II AS CAESAR**, 256-258 AD, Cologne, Antoninianus, 3.11g, Gobl-907e (109 spec), Cuneto-738 (9 spec), RIC-3, C-26. Obv: VALERIANVS CAES Bust radiate, draped r. Rx: IOVI CRESCENTI Infant Jupiter seated facing on goat Amalthea, who stands r.; Jupiter raises his r. hand, looks l., and holds one of the goat's horns with his l. hand. Ex Philip Davis Collection. Some areas of flat striking. EF 150
269. **VALERIAN II, DIVVS**, Died 258 AD, Cologne, Antoninianus, 3.95g, Gobl-911e (56 spec), Cuneto-740 (34 spec), RIC-9, C-5 (2 Fr). Obv: DIVO VALERIANO CAES Bust radiate, draped r. Rx: CONSAC[RATIO] Valerian II seated l., waving goodbye and holding scepter, on back of eagle flying r., bearing him to heaven. VF / EF 250
270. **AUREOLUS IN THE NAME OF POSTUMUS**, Milan, Late 267-268 AD, Antoninianus, 2.09g, RIC-388. Obv: IMP POSTVMVS AVG Radiate bust of Postumus r. Rx: VIRTVS EQVIT Virtus walking r. holding spear and shield. EF 400
271. **MARIUS**, 268 AD, Antoninianus, 3.72g, Cuneto Hoard-2512 (16 spec), RIC-19 (R), C-22 (15 Fr). Obv: IMP C MAVR MARIVS AVG Bust radiate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: VIRTV - S AVG Virtus standing l. resting r. hand on shield and holding spear in l. Ex Berk 110, 8 September 1999, lot 477. Heavy specimen. Some what softly struck. aEF 400
272. **TETRICUS II AS CAESAR**, 270-273 AD, Antoninianus, 2.05g, Cuneto-2608 (388 spec), RIC-272. Obv: C PIV ESU TETRICVS CAES Radiate, draped bust r. Rx: SPES - P - VBLICA Spes advancing l., r. foot forward, holding flower and raising skirt. Ex CNG Web Sale, 23 March 2003. EF 150
273. **CLAUDIVS II, DIVVS**, Died 270 AD, Rome, Struck c. 317-318 under Constantine the Great, AE 4, 1.50g, RIC-43, C-245 (6 Fr). Obv: Head veiled and laureate r. Rx: REQVIES OPTIMO RVM MERITORVM Divus Claudius seated l. on curule chair, raising hand and holding scepter. Rare. Ex Philip Rzonca Collection. VF 200
274. **QUINTILLIVS**, 270 AD, Milan, Antoninianus, 3.54g, RIC-49, C-19. Obv: IMP QVINTILLIVS AVG Bust radiate r. Rx: DIANA LVCFE Diana standing r. holding torch, P=officina 1 in exergue. Exceptional portrait. Mint State. 250
275. **AURELIAN**, 270-275 AD, Ticinum, Antoninianus, 4.06g, RIC-154, Gobl-724a (55 spec), Paris-601. Obv: IMP C AVRELIVS AVG Radiate, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: SOLI - INVICTO Sol walking l. raising r. hand and holding globe in l., placing r. foot on bound hands of captive seated l. before him, a second bound captive sits r. behind him, looking back at Sol, star in field l., QXXT in exergue (officina 4). Ex Philip Davis Collection. Silvered. Mint State. 100

276. **AURELIAN AND VABALATHUS**, Antioch, Antoninianus, 2.74g RIC-381 (S), C-1, Gobl-353a5 (34 spec), Paris-1249. Obv. VABALATHVS VCRIMDR Laureate and diademed bust of Vabalathus r. Rx. IMP C AVRELIANVS AVG Radiate bust of Aurelian r. E (=officina 5) below. Vabalathus wears both a diadem and a laurel wreath. This fact has been overlooked in most of the current handbooks, although it was pointed out in 1870 by A. von Sallet in his book "Die Daten der Alexandrinschen Kesseltreiben". EF 200
277. **SEVERINA, WIFE OF AURELIAN**, Antoninianus, Cyzicus, 2.75 AD, 4.30g RIC-18, Gobl-352a0 (31 spec), Paris-1237. Rx. CONCORDIAE MILITVM Concordia standing l. holding two standards, XXI in exergue. Silvered Mint State 175
278. **TACITUS**, 275-276 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 4.02g RIC-34 var, C-17, Venera-1111-14 (4 spec). Obv. IMP C M CL TACITVS AVG Radiate bust r. Rx. CLEME - NTIA TEMP Clemenia standing l., in exergue XXIZ (Z reversed, =officina 7). Ex Berk 132, 14 May 2003, lot 556. EF 145
279. **FLORIANUS**, 276 AD, Cyzicus, Antoninianus, 4.06g Paris-1977, RIC-116 (S), C-15 (2 Fr). Obv. IMP FLORIANVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx. CONCO - RDIA MI - LITVM Victory holding out wreath to emperor, in exergue P (=officina 1). EF 225
280. **PROBUS**, 276-282 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.78g RIC-157, C-37. Obv. IMP PRO - BVVS AVG Bust radiate, cuirassed r., almost half-length, seen from front, aegis with Medusa head on breast of cuirass, fold of aegis over front shoulder. Rx. ADVEN - TVS AVG Emperor on horse pacing l., he raises r. hand and holds spear in l., before horse captive in Phrygian cap seated l. but looking back and up at emperor, in exergue thunderbolt flanked by R and Z (officina 7). Ex Phillip Davis Collection. Silvered Mint State 100
281. **VICTORIA GERM**, Trophy between two seated captives, in exergue crescent and pellet between R and A (officina 1). Mint State 100
282. **CARUS**, 282-283 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.76g RIC-38, C-37, Venera-1989-2010 (22 spec). Obv. IMP C MAVR CARVS P F AVG Bust radiate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx. IOVI VI - CTORI Jupiter standing l. holding Victory and scepter, eagle at his feet. [K]AB in exergue (officina 2). VF 130
283. **CARINUS**, 283-285 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.54g RIC-238 (C), C-8, Venera-3292-3342 (51 spec). Rx. AEOVITAS AVGG Aequitas standing l. holding scales and cornucopia, in exergue KAZ (officina 7). EF 150
- Julian of Pannonia**
284. **JULIAN OF PANNONIA**, 284-285 AD, Siscia, Antoninianus, 3.66g RIC-5 (R3), C-7 (150 Fr), Venera-4396 (1 spec). Obv. IMP C MAVR IVLIANVS P F AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx. VICT - OR - IAAVG around, XXI in exergue, S - A across field, Victory advancing l. holding wreath and palm. Ex Berk 103, 28 July 1998, lot 474. Coins of Julian are always sought after and desirable. This particular coin is beautifully struck on a broad flan. EF 5250
285. **CARAVSIUS, ENGRAVER'S ERROR IN OBERSE LEGEND**, 287-293 AD, London, Antoninianus, 3.40g RIC-121 var. Obv. MP (ac, for IMP) CARAVSIVS P F AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx. PA - X - A - VG Pax standing l. holding branch and transverse scepter, S - P across field, IM upside down in exergue. The first letter of the obverse legend omitted by engraver's error. Olive patination. eEF 400
286. **CARAVSIUS**, 287-293 AD, Mint C, Antoninianus, 4.03g RIC-475. Obv. IMP C CARAVSIVS P F AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx. PA - [X] - AVG Pax standing l. holding branch and vertical scepter, S - C across field. Extremely sharp portrait of Carausius. Some flatness from striking at top of the reverse. EF 400

LATE ROMAN SILVER AND SILVERED BRONZE

- Anepigraphic Siliqua**
287. **CONSTANTINE I**, 307-337 AD, Constantinople, c. 330-333 AD, Siliqua, 2.98g RIC-126, officina Δ-4, C-97 (60 Fr). Obv. No legend. Head right looking upwards, wearing laurel and rosette diadem. Rx. CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Victory advancing l. holding wreath and palm, in exergue CONSA. Extremely rare: only two specimens from all officinae cited by RIC, and the same two plus three more cited by H. Cahn, Silberschatz von Kaiser August, p. 350. Both RIC and Cahn knew only one specimen, in Prague, from officina Δ like our coin. This is the portrait of Constantine the Great that people want: the first Christian emperor looking upwards to the heavens. These normally appear on gold issues and are rather rare on siliqua, which is why we are pleased to offer this very beautiful example. Small flan defect in left reverse field. Toned Mint State 6500
288. **FAUSTA**, Trier, 326 AD, Folis, 3.20g RIC-483, officina S=2 (c2). Obv. FLAV MAX - FAVSTA AVG Bust draped r., seen from front, wearing pearl necklace. Rx. SALVS REI - PVBLICAE Empress standing l. holding two infants, in exergue STR followed by crescent nesting pellet. Ex Berk 108, 12 May 1999, lot 659. Mint State 225
289. **HELENA**, Trier, 337-340 AD, AE 4, 1.46g RIC-63 (C3), officina P=1. Obv. FL IVL HE - LENA AVG Bust r. Rx. PA - X PV - BLICAPax standing l. holding branch and transverse scepter, TRP in exergue. Ex Forum Ancient Coins, February 1997. Mint State 250
290. **HELENA**, Trier, 326 AD, Reduced Folis, 2.95g RIC-481, officina S=2 (c3). Obv. FL HELENA - AVGVSTA Bust draped r., seen from front, wearing pearl necklace. Rx. SECVRITAS - REIPVBLICE Empress, veiled, standing l. holding branch, in exergue STR followed by pellet above crescent. Mint State 200
291. **CRISPUS AS CAESAR**, 317-326 AD, Lugdunum, 321 AD, Reduced Folis, 3.46g RIC-133. Rx. BEATA TRANQVILLITAS Alter inscribed VOTIS XX, globe on altar, three stars above, PLG in exergue, C - R across field. Ex Philip Ronzone Collection. Mint State 120
292. **CONSTANTIUS II**, 337-361 AD, Sirmium, 355-361 AD, Siliqua, 1.79g RIC-68 (C2), C-343. Obv. D N CONSTAN - TINVS P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx. VOTIS / XXXX / MVLTVS / XXXX within wreath, SIRM below. EF 275
293. **VETRANO**, 350 AD, Siscia, Centenionalis, 4.90g RIC-277 (S), officina Δ-4, C-1 (25 Fr). Obv. D N VETRA - NIO P F AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. A behind Rx. CONCORDIA - MILITVM Emperor standing l., star above head, holding two standards inscribed with Christograms, ΔSIS* in exergue, A in l. field. Ex CNG, eAuction, 14 February 2001. EF 650
294. **ISSUE OF VETRANO, IN NAME OF CONSTANTIUS II**, 337-361 AD, Centenionalis, Siscia, 350 AD, 5.15g RIC-286 (S), officina A=1. Obv. Name and portrait of Constantius II r., between A and star, issued by Vetrano. Rx. HOC SIG - NO VICTOR ERIS Emperor standing l. holding labarum and spear, crowned by Victory standing behind him, ASIS in exergue, A in l. field. Exceptional quality for issue. EF 300
295. **MAGNENTIUS**, 350-353 AD, Centenionalis, Trier, c. Summer-late 351 AD, 4.27g RIC-312 (C2), officina S=2, Bastien-67 (23 spec). Obv. A behind portrait. Rx. VICTORIAE DD NN AVG ET CAES Two Victories holding wreath, within which VOT V MVLTVLX, TRS in exergue. EF 375
296. **DECENTIUS AS CAESAR**, 350-353 AD, Lugdunum, 353 AD, AE 1, 6.71g RIC-157(S), officina S=2, Bastien 209 (only 2 spec). Obv. D N DECENTI - VS NOB CAES Bare-headed, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx. SALVS DD NN AVG ET CAES Large Christogram between alpha and omega, PSLG in exergue. Ex Berk 111, 28 October 1999, lot 494. VF 200
297. **JULIAN II**, 360-363 AD, Constantinople, AE 3, 3.35g RIC-165 or 166, officina letter illegible. Obv. D N FL CL IVLI - ANVS P F AVG Helmeted, pearl-diademed, cuirassed bust l., holding spear and shield. Rx. VOT / X / MVLTVL / XX in four lines in wreath, in exergue CON - preceded by palm branch. EF 200
298. **EUDOXIA**, Constantinople, 401-3 AD, AE 3, 2.35g RIC-101 (S), officina A=1. Obv. AEL EVDIO - XIA AVG Bust of empress: crowned by hand of God. Rx. SALVS REI

- PVBLICAE Victory seated r. inscribing Chi-Rho onto shield supported by column, CONSA in exergue. Ex Philip Ronzone Collection, acquired by him in November 1999. VF 60

- Maximus of Spain**
299. **MAXIMUS**, 409-411 AD, Barcelona, Siliqua, 0.94g RIC-1601 (R3), C-1 (300 Fr). Obv. D N MAXIMVS - VS P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx. [VIC]TORI - AAAVGGG (ac) around, [SMB]A in exergue, Roma seated l. holding Victory and spear. Ex Berk 101, 24 March 1998, lot 554. The coins of Maximus of Spain are normally poorly made. While this coin is on a typically small planchet, the obverse is beautifully centered and the reverse very well-struck. Toned with an exquisite blue iridescence. Mint State 11000

BYZANTINE SILVER

300. **HERACLIUS**, Constantinople, c. 615-638 AD, Hexagram, 6.55g DO-64, MIB-140, Sear-798. Obv. Heraclius with short beard and Heraclius Constantine, smaller and beardless, seated front on double throne, each wearing chlamys and crown and holding globus cruciger, above their heads, a cross. Rx. [DE]JUS ADIUTOR ROMANIS Cross potent on base above globe, K in r. field. VF 325

GREEK BRONZE

301. **THESSALY, PHARSALUS**, AE 15, 1.90g Rogers-485. Obv. Head of Athena l. in crested helmet adorned with Scylla and scrolls, wears earring, and long curls escape below flap. Rx. Thessalian cavalryman wearing helmet and cuirass on horse prancing r., wielding mace or arms above his head, ΦA above, Z (retrograde) P below. VF225

The Island Peparethus

302. **ISLAND OFF THESSALY, PEPARETHUS**, 2nd century BC, Dichalkon, 4.46g SNG Cop-362. Obv. Head of youthful Dionysos r., wearing ivy wreath. Rx. Π-Ε-Π-Α-Κ-Α-Υ-Θ-Ι-Ο-Ν containing vine tendrils with grape bunches hanging to l. and r. Rare: a comparable example in Triton XV brought \$1400 + commission. Coins from this island are extremely rare. VF 600
303. **BOEOTIA, FEDERAL MINT**, 287-244 BC, AE 17, 7.89g BCD-82. Obv. Head of Athena r. Rx. Trophy Rare. VF 300
304. **ATTIC, AEGINA**, 404-340 BC, AE AE 14, 2.06g SNG Cop-532. Obv. Two dolphins, A between Rx. Five-part incuse. Finet 80
305. **ATTICA, SALAMIS**, c. 330 BC, AE 16, 2.41g SNG Cop-455. Obv. Head of nymph Salamis r. wearing stephane and earrings. Rx. Boeotian-shaped shield of Ajax, on which sword in sheath. VF 200
306. **AEOLIS, CYME**, c. 350-250 BC, AE 17, 4.43g BM-40 var (magistrate), SNG Cop-69 var (same). Obv. Forepart of horse r., KY above, AKKIOC below. Rx. Cup with handle. VF 135
307. **ELIS, OLYMPIA**, Late 3rd century-191 BC, AE 21, 3.66g BCD-291. Obv. Head of Apollo r. Rx. Zeus advancing r., hurling thunderbolt. VF 250
308. **BOSPORUS, MACHARES AS GOVERNOR FOR MITHRADATES VI OF PONTUS**, AE 25, 20.10g Anikam-212, SNG BM-946. Obv. Head of Dionysos r. Rx. Bowcase with monogram. Some surface chipping on obverse, but not tooled as these normally are. VF / Fine. 250

Troy

309. **TROAS, ILIUM (TROY), PSEUDO-AUTONOMOUS, TIME OF THE FLAVIANS**, c. 79-96 AD, AE 19, 5.90g RPC-895, SNG Cop-368. Obv. Armored bust of Athena l. Rx. Aeneas advancing r., looking back, leading Ascanius and carrying Anchises. The city of Ilium was re-founded by Augustus on the traditional site of Troy. The types of this coin offer a complex mix of legendary and historical allusions. The reverse directly depicts Aeneas and his family escaping the burning city of Troy, carrying with them the ancient statue of Athena known as the Palladium. After many adventures, Aeneas arrived in Italy and became the founder of the Roman people. His son Ascanius became king of Alba Longa, from which the first kings of Rome claimed descent. By restoring the famous type of a Julius Caesar denarius, this reverse alludes to more recent Roman history as well. Rare and fascinating. Fine / Good VF 550

310. **TROAS, SIGEUM**, 4th Century BC, AE 20, 8.03g. Obv. Helmeted head of Athena facing Rx. Double-bodied owl facing, ΕΙΠΕ in exergue. Fine 175
311. **JUDAEA, ALEXANDER JANNAEUS**, 104-76 BC, 104-76 BCE, Prutah, 2.03g Hendin-1148. Obv. Lily flanked by paleo-Hebrew (Yehonatan the King), border of dots. Rx. (of King Alexander), inverted anchor within circle. EF 300

Complete Legend

312. **JUDAEA, ALEXANDER JANNAEUS**, 104-76 BC, 104-76 BCE, Prutah, 1.87g Hendin-1145. Obv. Paleo-Hebrew (Yehonatan the High Priest and the Council of the Jews) within wreath. Rx. Double cornucopia adorned with ribbons, pomegranate between horns, border of dots. A common coin, but scarce with complete legend as here. EF 200
313. **JUDAEA, PONTIUS PILATE**, Year 18=31/32 CE, Prutah, 2.66g Hendin-1343. Obv. LIH (year 18=31/32 CE) within wreath. Rx. [TIBEP]IOY KAICAPOC (of Tiberius Caesar), lituus. Due to a striking anomaly, the lituus on the reverse rests on a raised band and appears to be framed. VF 350

Only Five Recorded

314. **JUDAEA, THE BAR KOKHBA WAR**, 132-135 CE. Dated Year 1, Middle Bronze, 9.44g Mildenberg-45, only 5 recorded. Obv. "Year one of the Redemption of Israel", leaf. Rx. "Shim'on Prince of Israel", palm tree. This is one of the scarce early issues of Year 1. Good VF 1600

Exceptional

315. **JUDAEA, THE BAR KOKHBA WAR**, 132-135 CE. Undated Year 3, Middle Bronze, 9.94g Mildenberg-108. Obv. "For the freedom of Jerusalem", leaf. Rx. "Shim'on", palm tree. This appears to be the best example of this coin that we have handled. The grape leaf on the obverse is in high relief with every vein showing. Near Mint State 900

Ptolemy III Portrait

316. **PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY III**, AE 20, 5.74g Sv-1000, SNG Cop-193. Obv. Bust of Ptolemy III r. Rx. Eagle standing l. on thunderbolt, cornucopia in r. field. Very scarce. As everyone knows, almost all Ptolemaic bronzes bear a portrait of Zeus Ammon. This pleasant little coin is an exception. Good VF / EF 400
317. **MAURETANIA, IOL-CAESAREA**, c. 25 BC - 24 AD, AE 22, 6.47g SNG Cop-679. Obv. Head of Isis l., wearing vulture headdress. Rx. Three grain ears. Punic letters to r. The obverse of this scarce coin is somewhat off-center, but it is sharply struck and has a pleasant olive patina. EF 300

ROMAN IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL BRONZE

Caesar Portrait

318. **JULIUS CAESAR**, Julius Caesar, Corinth, 44 or 43 BC, duoviri L. Aeficius Certus and C. Julius, AE 23, 8.30g RPC-1116 (87 spec, 11 obv. and 34 rev. dies), BM-485. Obv. Wreathed head of Julius Caesar r., behind, LAVS IVLI / CORINT downwards in two lines (INT ligate). Rx. Bellerophon, wearing petasos and about to hurl spear, riding winged Pegasus r., above, [L CER]ITO AEFICIO (AE ligate), below, C IVLIO IIVIR. From Amandry's obverse die D11, pl. I. Corinth's first coinage after being rebuilt and refounded as a Roman colony by Julius Caesar in 44 BC. There are few Caesar portraits in bronze, mostly rather crude examples struck at Lugdunum. This rather excellent portrait of Caesar is exceptional and is equal to the best recorded specimens. VF 4400
319. **AGRIPPA**, Died 12 BC, Rome, Struck under Caligula, As, 11.18g BM(Tiberius)-161, Paris-77, RIC-58, C-3. Obv. MAGRIPPA - F - COS - III Diademed head l. Rx. S - C Neptune standing l. holding dolphin and trident. eEF 600
320. **NERO**, 54-68 AD, Lugdunum, 66-8 AD, Dupondius, 13.04g BM-347, Paris-195, pl. XLI (same rev. die), RIC-597, C-325 (2 Fr). Obv. IMP NERO CAES - AR AVGV P MAX TR PPP Head laureate l., globe below tip of neck. Rx. SECVRITAS - AVGVSTI around (beginning in exergue), S C in exergue, Secutitas seated r., supporting head with r. hand and holding scepter in l., altar and torch at her feet, the torch exceptionally

vertical and not overlapping with the altar. Usually the torch on the reverse slants to the right, pointing at c. 2 o'clock, and its bottom half overlaps with the altar. The unusual placement of the torch on our die, vertical and not overlapping with the altar, was pointed out by Giard in his description of Paris-193, which is from the same reverse die. Extremely sharp portrait of Nero. Toned. Tiber color. EF/VF \$30

- Incredible Reverse**
321. **DOMITIAN**, 81-96 AD, Rome, 86 AD, Dupondius, 11.10g, RIC-477 (C), Paris-407, BMC-p. 382, C-14 (3 Fr). Obv: IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM COS XII CENS PER P P Bust radiate r.; aegis with Medusa head on front shoulder and behind neck. Rx: ANNONA - AVG around, S C in exergue, Annona seated r. with a small figure standing l. before her, she and the small figure stretch out part of her cloak between them, which is full of wheat ears, each of them has grasped a tuck of the cloak on its upper edge, in order to hold it more firmly, in background, stern of grain ship l. This interesting reverse type is usually under-described, for example by Cohen 9: "Abundantia seated right, resting her elbow on her chair and holding wheat ears, before her, a child standing, in the distance, a vessel". Mattingly, BMC 304, corrected the name of the divinity to Annona, and recognized that she and the little figure were each holding two ends of a piece of cloth between them, so that it could serve as a receptacle for wheat ears. Mattingly termed this receptacle an "open bag", but it is probably in fact the end of Annona's cloak; compare the parallel type of Septimius Severus, BMC pl. 57.3, where Annona holds out a fold of her drapery before her breast, from which wheat ears emerge. Over the last 50 years, we have viewed thousands of Roman sestertii, dupondii and asses. This is a coin that absolutely shocked us. We have seen it before in poor condition and just ignored it, but looking at the reverse in such stunning quality, it looks like something we have never seen before. Wonderful olive patina. EF / Near Mint State. 4500
322. **SABINA**, Pergamum, Mysia, AE 19-20, 5.33g Sear-1287, BM-275. Obv: CABAINEA - CEBACITHI Draped bust r., hair up, wearing stephane. Rx: KOPONIK ENI CTP ΠΩΛΙΩΝΟC around, Π / Ε / Ρ - [Γ] / Α in l. and r. fields, Koronis, mother of Asclepius, standing front, r. arm grasping l. shoulder, l. arm round waist. aEF 200
323. **ANTONINUS PIUS**, 138-161 AD, 143-4 AD, Sestertius, 25.14g, BM-1637 pl. 39.9 (same rev. die), Strack-825, C-116 (20 Fr), RIC-742 (R2) pl. V 111 (BM coin). Obv: ANTONINVS AVG PI - VS P P [TR P COS IIII Head laureate r. Rx: [BRIT]A - N - NIA around, S C in exergue, Britannia seated l. on pile of rocks resting elbow on shield set on helmet and holding standard and spear. Ex CNG XXII, 2 Sept. 1992, lot 379. The reverse of this coin bears an image of Britannia seated which was the pattern for the British penny. aFine 650
324. **FAUSTINA I, DIVA**, Died 140 AD, Rome, Sestertius, 25.35g, BM-1443, C-240 var., RIC-1146A. Obv: DIVA AVGV S - TAVSTINA Draped bust r. Rx: PIET - AS A[V]G - S C Pietas, veiled and wearing stephane, standing l. dropping incense on candelabrum altar and holding open box. Bold portrait. aEF 750
325. **MARCUS AURELIUS, DIVVS**, Died 180 AD, Rome, Sestertius, 28.41g, BM-394, C-94 (10 Fr), RIC-660 (Rare). Obv: DIVVS M AN - TONINVS PIVS Head bare r. Rx: CONSEC[RATIO] S C Marcus Aurelius seated l., waving goodbye and holding scepter, on back of eagle flying r., holding thunderbolt in claws, beaming him to heaven. VF 2500
- Ex H.P. Hall Collection**
327. **COMMODUS**, 177-192 AD, Rome, 183 AD, Sestertius, 15.41g, BM-516, pl. 104.8 (rev. only, same die), C-898, RIC-374. Obv: M COMMODVS AN - TONINVS AVG PIVS Head laureate r. Rx: TR P V III [IMP] VI - COS III PPS - C Victory advancing r. holding trophy in both hands. Apparently ex Glendinning, 16 Nov. 1950, Platt Hall, part of lot 1624, described as "fine", with Hall's own handwritten ticket, recording purchase from Spink in January 1916 for 10 shillings. Bold portrait. Brown patination. EF 1500
328. **COMMODUS**, 177-192 AD, Rome, 192 AD, Sestertius, 19.17g, BM-701, C-576, RIC-611. Obv: L AEL AVREL COMM AVG P FEL Head laureate r. Rx: P M TR P XVII IMP VIII [COS] VII P P S C Secutitas seated l. holding scepter and extending r. hand towards child before her representing the Human Race, star in r. field. The deity on reverse is traditionally described as Pietas but a recently discovered aureus which adds the descriptive legend SEC GEN HVM to the same type (Spink 65, 1988, 246, now coll. Ben Damsky) proves that she is actually Secutitas and the child before her presumably the Human Race. Ex Gemini X, 13 January 2013, lot 577. Struck on a broader flan than normal for Commodus, and with a rather sensitive portrait. Issued in the last year of his reign. EF / aEF 2000

Troy - Second Recorded

329. **COMMODUS**, 177-192 AD, Ilion, Troas, AE 23, 8.33g, Bellinger-T191 (Paris only, pl. 9, different dies). Obv: AV KA AV - KOMOAVC Laureate, draped, curassed bust r. Rx: CKAMANAPOC above, IAIEN in exergue, River god Skamandros reclining l., naked to waist, holding reed and resting l. elbow on overturned urn. Troy's river, the Scamander or Xanthos, fought on Troy's side in the Trojan War, according to Homer, Iliad, Book XXII - when Achilles was slaying many Trojans in the river's waters, the river protested, then overflowed and was about to catch and drown Achilles when Hephaistos intervened, blasting the river with fire and forcing it to return to its bed. Beautiful high relief portrait of a youthful Commodus. Some encrustation on reverse. EF 2450

Troy

330. **DIADUMENIAN AS CAESAR**, 217-218 AD, Ilion, Troas, AE 19, 3.38g, Bellinger-T270 (citing Paris, Berlin, and SNG Cop-431). Obv: ΔΙΔΑΟΥ - ΜΕΝΙΑΝΟ Bare-headed, draped, curassed bust r. Rx: IAI - [E]QN Atr. in stance standing l. holding Nike and spear, shield resting against bottom of spear. Good Fine 400

Exceptional Paulina

331. **PAULINA, DIVA**, Rome, Sestertius, 18.59g, BM-129, RIC-3, C-3 (30 Fr). Obv: DIVA PAVLINA Bust draped, veiled r. Rx: CONSECR - ATIO S - C Paulina seated l., waving goodbye and holding scepter, on back of peacock flying r., bearing her to heaven. Extremely beautiful portrait of Paulina struck on a glossy green planchet. There is a scrape on the body of the empress in the reverse type. EF 2000

Unimprovable Gordian I Africanus

332. **GORDIAN I AFRICANUS**, 238 AD, Sestertius, Rome, 20.73g, BM-12, C-11 (70 Fr), RIC-11 (Rv). Obv: IMP CAES M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG Bust laureate, draped, curassed r. Rx: SECVRTAS AVGG around, S C in exergue, Secutitas seated l. holding scepter. Portraits of Gordian I Africanus are scarce but normally available only in VG-Fine, some times in VF. This coin which is absolutely EF bears a wonderful portrait of the aged emperor with complete obverse and reverse legends despite it not being perfectly round which is typical of the issue. Choice EF 22500

BYZANTINE COPPER

333. **JUSTINIAN I**, 527-565 AD, Cyzicus, Yr-13, Folles, 22.06g, Berk-232, DO-165b, Hahn-120a. Obv: Helmeted and curassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger and shield, cross to right, Rx: Large M between ANNO and XXII, cross and B in field. KYZ in exergue. Beautiful green patination. EF 500
334. **JUSTINIAN I**, Thessalonica, 664g, DO-98d, BMC-167, MIB-169d, Berk-164. Obv: Diademed, draped, curassed bust r. Rx: Large I, surmounted by chi-rho. Fine / VF 200

4 Pentanummia

335. **JUSTIN I**, 565-578 AD, Cherson, 4 Pentanummia (as described by DOC) or 20 Nummi or 1/48 pound (as described by Hahn), 7.85g, Berk-358, Hahn-161b, DOC-31 (under Maurice), Sear-610 (under Maurice). Obv: [XEP] - CONOC Imperial couple

standing, cross between heads, crowned and nimbate, he holds globe cruciger, she holds cross-scepter. Rx: Emperor standing, crowned and nimbate, holding stauropg topped staff, Δ with cross above r. Ex HJB B&B Sale 93, 14 November 1990, lot 622. Featured on penelopecoins.com Very rare denomination. Obverse patination with reddish earth overlay. VF 800

336. **JOHN III, NICEA**, Ducas-Vatatzes, 1246-1254 Billon Trachy, 1.63g, Hendy-P. 43, 314. Obv: Half-length figure of Emperor left with St. Demetrius bearded and nimbate. Between them a cross within circles surrounding triangular decoration on long shaft. Emperor wears stemma, ditionion, collar-piece and jeweled loros. Saint wears tunic, breast plate and sagon. Stunning portrait of John III. While these coins are beautifully designed they are always miserably struck. This coin shows a wonderful portrait of John III and not much else. EF for issue 400
337. **MICHAEL VIII**, 1261-1282 AD, Constantinople, Trachy, 1.69g, S-2269, Bendall-30. Obv: Bust of St. Michael holding spear and globe. Rx: Emperor and St. George holding patriarchal cross. About EF 250
338. **ANDRONICUS II**, Sole Reign, 1282-1332 AD, Thessalonica, AE Trachy, 1.45g, Sear/Bendall-2373, Bendall, PCPC-246, LPC-212, Grierson-1438. Obv: St. Demetrius holding spear and shield. Rx: Andronicus holding scepter and globus cruciger, Manus Dei above and stars around. Green patination. EF for issue 95

IMPERIAL TETRADRACHMS OF ALEXANDRIA

339. **NERO**, 54-68 AD, Tetradrachm, Egypt, Alexandria, Year 5 = 58/9 AD, 12.71g, RPC-5247 (11 spec), Oxford-188, Cologne-136, Emmett-124/5. Obv: NEPSN KAAV KAIC - CEBATEP AYTO Laureate head r. Rx: OMO - NOIA Homonoia (Concordia) seated l. holding patera, date LE at lower l. VF 150
340. **NERO**, 54-68 AD, Alexandria, Egypt, Year 12 = 65/6 AD, Tetradrachm, 13.14g, RPC-5289 (99 spec), Oxford-238, Datt-704, Cologne-172, Emmett-109/13. Obv: [NEPC] KAAV KAIC ZEB FEP Radiate bust r. wearing aegis. Rx: AV [TO] - KPA Draped bust of Alexandria with elephant headress r., date LIB in r. field. Good VF 150
341. **NERO**, 54-68 AD, Alexandria, Egypt, Year 11=64/5 AD, Tetradrachm, 12.42g, RPC-5280 (2 spec). Obv: Radiate head of Nero r., bangs falling onto forehead. Rx: Draped bust of Poppaea r., date LIA before. Rare with this earlier hairstyle of Nero, only two specimens recorded in RPC. Tetradrachms of this year normally show Nero's new hairstyle with the hair combed upward from the forehead and curving like a wave about to break. Fine / VF 200
342. **NERO**, 54-68 AD, Billon tetradrachm, Egypt, Alexandria, Year 13 = 66/7 AD, 13.12g, RPC-5296 (39 spec), Oxford-273, Datt-1263, Cologne-184, Emmett-121/13. Obv: NEPSN KAAV KAIC ZEB FEP AY Radiate bust of Nero l. wearing [aegis]. Date LII in lower l. field. Rx: ZEBATE [TOPOPO] ("Bearer of the Emperor") Ship sailing r., with steersman in stern, large sail on central mast and small sail on slanting mast at bow. The reverse apparently refers to Nero's trip to Greece in 66-7 AD to participate in the Olympics and other sacred games. Fine / VF 275
343. **HADRIAN**, 117-138 AD, Tetradrachm, Egypt, Alexandria, Year 13=128/29 AD, 13.43g, Cologne-99/5, Datt-1525. Obv: Laureate, draped, curassed bust of Hadrian r. Rx: ΠΑΤΗΡ - ΠΑΤΡΙΑOC Clasp hands in field date L / II. aEF / EF 300
344. **HADRIAN AND SABINA**, 117-138 AD, Billon tetradrachm, Alexandria, Year 13 = 128/9 AD, 11.15g, Cologne-997, Datt-1249, Oxford-1272, Emmett-386/13. Obv: AVT KAI - TPAI AAPIA CEB Laureate, draped, curassed bust of Hadrian r. Rx: CABINA CEBACTH - LII Draped bust of Sabina r., hair braided and coiled atop head. Excellent portrait and dark toning. Nearly EF / EF 750
345. **HADRIAN**, 117-138 AD, Billon tetradrachm, Egypt, Alexandria, Year 22=137/38 AD, 13.63g, Cologne-1241, Datt-1438. Obv: Laureate head of Hadrian r. Rx: Nile reclining l., crocodile below. VF 350
346. **AELIUS AS CAESAR**, 136-138 AD, Egypt, Alexandria, 137 AD, Billon Tetradrachm, 12.84g, Cologne-1271, Datt-2074, Oxford-1537, Emmett-1350, Sear RCV-3995 and GIV-1347. Obv: AIAIOC - KAICAP Head bare r. Rx: AHMEC - O - VC VIAT B Concordia standing l., sacrificing from patera over altar and holding cornucopia. A great portrait of the scarce emperor Aelius in a provincial coin. Huge price reduction from retail price. VF / EF 600
347. **MARCUS AURELIUS**, 161-180 AD, Alexandria, Egypt, LE=Year 5=164/5 AD, Tetradrachm, 11.43g, Dattari/Savio-pl. 181, 3372, Emmett-2079/5. Obv: M AVPHAI - ANTUNINOC CE Bare-headed, draped, curassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: Serapis standing l., kalathos on head, holding out garland over altar with large bowl and narrow support, behind him short standard with billowing banner (?). L - E across upper field. Rare and unusual bust type. Cf. Dattari/Savio pl. 181, 9176: similar bust type coupled with a different reverse type of Year 5. VF 225

Second Recorded

348. **LUCILLA**, Alexandria, Egypt, Year 9 = 168/9 AD, Billon Tetradrachm, 10.10g, Emmett-2474/5 (R5), BM Suppl-3097. Obv: AOYKIAAAC - ANT OY Draped bust of Lucilla r. Rx: Tyche seated l. holding rudder and cornucopia, across field, date L - Θ. Possibly only the second recorded Alexandrian tetradrachm of Lucilla with the Tyche seated reverse, struck in year 9. The other known specimen, acquired by the British Museum in 1936 and published in the Supplement to BMC Alexandria, is from the same obverse die as our coin, but from a different reverse die, with different placement of the date, L Θ together in left field rather than L left and Θ right. Dattari-3815, a tetradrachm with the Aequitas standing type in Year 9, is also from the same obverse die as the two Tyche seated coins: see Dattari (1901), pl. III, 381.5. Alexandrian tetradrachms of Lucilla as a class are very rare: only four specimens in Dattari/Savio, two in Oxford and two in BMC with the Supplement, one each in Cologne, Curtis, and CoinArchives Pro, none in Berk photofile. The flan is silvery, apparently containing a substantial proportion of that precious metal. VF 2000

Rare Consecration Issue

349. **CARUS**, Died 283 AD, Alexandria, Egypt, Billon Tetradrachm, 9.02g, Cologne-3168 (same obv. die), Dattari-5571, Oxford-4733, Emmett-3995. Obv: ΘEW KA - FW CEB Head laureate r. Rx: AΘIE - FWIC ("Consecration") Flaming, garlanded altar on base, in upper l. field, a star symbolizing the deified Carus. One of the few Alexandrian coins issued for a consecrated emperor. Faint silvered in fields. aEF250 600

Unique

350. **NUMERIAN**, 283-284 AD, Alexandria, Year 2=283/4 AD, Billon Tetradrachm, 7.06g, Obv: A K NVMEPIANOC (sic) CEB Bust laureate, draped, curassed r. Rx: Spes advancing l. holding flower and raising skirt, date L - B across field. A most unusual official tetradrachm, or possibly a competent ancient imitation. On the obverse, our coin omits the usual MA that should follow AK at the beginning of the legend, and also leaves out the first O of Numerian's name, spelling it NVMEPIANOC rather than NOVMEPIANOC. The Spes reverse type on our coin is well known on tetradrachms of Carinus with date L B, but was previously unattested for Numerian. The metal and fabric of the coin, however, seem official. aEF 250

WORLD COINS

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351. wd3614 Austria, Ferdinand II (1619-1637), 1621 Taler, Ennsheim, Struck right with date before. Rx: Crowned arms in Order chain. Dav-3168, KM-A257. NGC, AU55 1200
352. wd3608 Austria, Leopold V (1619-32), 1632 Taler, Beautiful Mint State coin and nicely toned. Dav-3338. NGC, MS63 1200
353. wd3616 Austria, Ferdinand III, 1654 Taler, Vienna, silvery-gray patina, Krause catalog price(s) for this item: \$375 in VF, \$750 in EF. Dav-3183, KM-977. NGC, AU55 1000
354. wd3615 Austria, Krennitzer, Ferdinand III, 1657 KB, Holy Roman Empire. Laureate and draped bust right / Crowned double-headed eagle facing, holding sword

- and scepter. Sharp example compared to other AU's KM-107. Listed in Krause under Hungary Taler. Dav-3198. NGC, AU58. 500
- 355 wd53274 **Austria, Leopold I**, 1671 Taler. Laureate and armored bust wearing Order of the Golden Fleece. Dav3252. UNC. 2100
- 356 wd53273 **Austria, Leopold I**, 1686-1696, ND 2 Taler. Hall mint. Laureate and armored bust wearing Order of the Golden Fleece. Amazing detail. Dav3252. 2500
- 357 wd53613 **Austria, Joseph I** (1705-11), 1711/2 Taler. Hall. Over-date not listed in KM. This coin has amazing eye appeal and over date is very clear. The toning is dark and has gold, blue and red overtones. Dav-1018. NGC, AU58. 800
- 358 wd53610 **Austria, Charles VI**, 1711-1740, 1732 Taler. Breslau. Bust right. Reverse BURGESILAE Eagle and arms. Crisp white coin. Dav-1098. NGC, AU55. 600
- 359 wd53611 **Austria, Salzburg**, 1729 Taler. Salzburg. Leopold Anton. Sharp details and lustrous. Dav-1241, KM-329. NGC, AU55. 550
- 360 wd53617 **Austria, Salzburg**, Sigmund III, 1764 Taler. Three-year type coin. Petina, toning and luster are really beautiful on this coin. Dav-1257. NGC, AU53. 550
- 361 wd53619 **Austria, ND** (1680-96) 2 Taler. AUSTRIA, Holy Roman Empire. Leopold I. Emperor, 1658-1705. AR Doppeltaler. Hall mint. Laureate and armored bust right / Crowned eagle facing, head left, with wings spread. Toned. Dav-3251. NGC, EF40. 1700
- 362 wd53548 **Colombia, Popayan, Carlos III**, 1772-JS Escudo. Minor obverse damage on the drapery otherwise a very nice coin with nice surfaces and a sharp reverse. KM-48.2. NGC, UNC Details. 850
- 363 wd53634 **France, Francois I** (1515-1547), ND Ecu d'or, 2.7g 24mm. Ecu d'or au soleil au Dauphine. Obv. FRANCISCVS DEI GRA FRANCORVM REX. (France I, by the grace of God, King of the Franks). Field quartered surrounded by a sun, 1 and 4 France, 2 and 3 of the Dauphine. Rx two Crowned "F's" Irregular flan. Partly cloudy. C-1083. VF. 1000
- 364 wd53633 **France, Louis XII** (1497-1515), ND Lyon, Ecu d'or, 3.4g 26mm. Obv (dis crowned) LVDVICVS DEI GRA FRANCORVM REX (Clover with ringlet below) Lyon. Annulet at 12e. Shield of France crowned under the sun. Rx (dis crowned) XPS VINCI XPS REGNAT XPS IMPERAT (Clover with ringlet below) Lyon. Annulet at 12e. Cross with quatrefoil in center. Beautiful full flan and legend. C-900. CH EF. 1300
- 365 wd50938 **German States, Hanau-Lichtenberg**, 1599-1625 ND, Teston, Sharp detail, lightly toned. Suchier 338/327. UNC. 695
- 366 wd53609 **Germany, Alsace (Eusheim)**, 1624 Taler. Leopold V, Archduke as Bishop of Strassburg. Bare-headed and mantled bust right, date below bust / Crowned coat-of-arms. Light gold and blue toning. NGC, AU58. 500
- 367 wd53346 **German States, Hesse-Cassel, Wilhelm VI**, 1637 GK, Taler. Tree in storm, sun above with Hebrew "JEHOVAH" with town in background. Dav6772, KM181. NGC, AU50. 1250
- 368 wd53270 **German States, Anhalt-Bernburg, Alexis Friedrich Christian**, 1806 2/3 Taler. Crowned bear. KM72. EF/AU. 275
- 369 wd51764 **German States, Westphalia**, 1813 2/3 Taler. Nicely toned. Hieronymus Neoleon. VG-1970. DF-785. EF/AU. 475
- 370 wd53624 **Great Britain, England, Ethelstan** (927-939), ND Penny, 1.44g 'Circumscription cross', York mint, 929-939. Small cross, symbol in field. REX TO BRIT. Rv. "REGNAD MO EFORPIC", small cross. The moneyer Regnald at York also issued during Viking authority. Aethelstan was the first king to use the title "King of all Britain" which this coin commemorates. An exceptionally lovely example with old cabinet toning, and with an unpublished symbol in field. In 937 Aethelstan was the victor at Brunanburh which broke the Viking host in Danelew. The king was proclaimed savior of Europe after this epic battle that saw the death of many Sea-Kings, and was presented with many gifts, including the sword of Constantine the Great. Ex Schembri Collection N-672. Very rare. EF. 3750
- 371 wd53625 **Great Britain, England, Ethelred II** (978-1016), ND Penny. Bust right. First hand type. Canterbury mint. EADPOLD MO CAENTPA Known as the Un-read or 'Unready' (meaning 'no counsel', or that he was unwise), Ethelred failed to win or retain the allegiance of many of his subjects. In 1002, he ordered the massacre of all Danes in England to eliminate potential treachery. Not being an able soldier, Ethelred defended the country against increasingly rapacious Viking raids from the 980s onwards by diplomatic alliance with the duke of Normandy in 991 (he later married the duke's daughter Emma) and by buying off renewed attacks by the Danes with money levied through a tax called the Danegeld. The Anglo-Saxon Chronicle in 1006 was dismissive: "in spite of it all, the Danish army went about as it pleased". By 1012, 48,000 pounds of silver was being paid in Danegeld to Danes camped in London. In 1013, Ethelred fled to Normandy when the powerful Viking Sweyn of Denmark dispossessed him. Ethelred returned to rule after Sweyn's death in 1014, but died himself in 1016. N-766. S-1144. AU. 1650
- 372 wd53607 **Great Britain, England, Ethelred II** (978-1016), ND minted between 997-1003 "Long Cross", York mint, Bare Headed bust l. Rv. Long Cross, "UNNULF MO EOFR". Second known example for this rare moneyer. Aethelred (wise counsel) was called Unread (foolish counsel) as his measures to deal with Viking raids failed disastrously, and lead to Svein of Denmark invading and driving him to brief exile in Normandy. The Long Cross penny, issue of the First Millennium of 1000 AD, was of good weight and fineness, and became the preferred prototype of Viking coinages. A lovely example of an important historical coin. Ex Schembri Collection N-774. S-1151. Very rare. CH EF. 1650
- 373 wd53626 **Great Britain, England, John** (1199-12), ND Penny, 1.43g "Short Cross Vbi". Winchester mint. Crowned facing bust with scepter. Rv. Short cross and crosses, "MILES ON WINC". Ex Elmore-Jones, 1816, Winchester. S-2716b. A nice example of the Magna Carta king, from a distinguished collection, and published in the work on this mint. N-970. VF. 575
- 374 wd53622 **Great Britain, England, Henry VIII** (1509-47), ND Groat, 2nd coinage 1527-44, London, mm Rose. S-2337. EF. 975
- 375 wd53621 **Great Britain, England, Elizabeth I** (1558-1603), 1561 6 Pence, 3.2 g. Third Issue, 1561. London mint. Phoenix Mm. Crowned bust l. Rv. Arms. Ex Coin Galleries VIII 3 (1967) C544. A beautiful example on a large, full flan. Slightest scratch to cheek, a highly desirable old collection coin. N-1997, S-2560. 1875
- 376 wd53620 **Great Britain, England, Elizabeth I** (1558-1603), 1562 6 Pence, Milled. Large bust with elaborate dress and small rose. mm: Star (London). S-2596, N-2027. A truly stunning coin. EF/AU. 2250
- 377 wd53623 **Great Britain, England, James I**, 1603-1625, 1606 Sixpence. Second Coinage, 1604-19. Mm Escallop. Crowned bust r. Rv. Arms. Nice example of the Scottish king that was heir to Elizabeth, S-2657. CH VF. 475
- 378 wd50027 **Great Britain, Queen Anne Coronation**, 1702 ND, Medal, Silver, 34.7mm, 15.5 g. By John Croker. Eimer 390, Wollaston IX. Obv. Draped bust l. Rev. Anne as Pallas hurling thunderbolts. Snapping snakes coming out of the belly and legs of a sea monster of two heads. CH EF/AU. 650
- 379 wd53492 **Great Britain, George II**, 1746 Half Crown, Struck from Spanish silver seized at Lima. Wonderful original toning. KM-584.3. S-3695a. EF. 700
- 380 wd4878 **Great Britain, Cornwall**, 1811 Penny. View of mine head, pumping station. Rev. Ingots or Cornish tin and salt fish. Edge diagonal reeding. Davis 23. EF. 90
- 381 wd52521 **Ireland, Annesty in Ireland**, 1690 Medal, Bronze, 40.8mm, Eimer 331. Obv. Mailed bust of William III r. Rev. Victory crowns king kneeling Hibernia at r. Raised-letter edge. ARMS IVNGIT NVNC TERTIA REGNA DVOBVS, Reign of William and Mary. Glossy light brown. CH AU. 850
- 382 wd53263 **Ireland, James II** 1685-91, April 1690 "Gun Money" 1/2 Crown. Broad

- Flan and Glossy. Gun money was an issue of coinage made by the forces of King James II during the conflict with William of Orange, in Ireland, between 1689 and 1691. The coins bore the date in months to allow a gradual replacement by silver coins when King James secured a victory. He never did! The term "Gun money" comes from the belief that these were made from melted down guns, but many other brass objects were used including old church bells. Ex Richard Rosholm Collection S6579 n. CH EF/AU. 875
- 383 wd53265 **Ireland, James II** 1685-91, August 1689 "Gunmoney" Shilling. Gun money was an issue of coinage made by the forces of King James II during the conflict with William of Orange, in Ireland, between 1689 and 1691. The coins bore the date in months to allow a gradual replacement by silver coins when King James secured a victory. He never did! The term "Gun money" comes from the belief that these were made from melted down guns, but many other brass objects were used including old church bells. Ex Richard Rosholm Collection CH S6581c. EF/AU. 325
- 385 wd52522 **Ireland, Kildare and Irish Surplus Revenues Dispute**, 1755 Medal, Bronze, 36.5mm. Possibly by J. Roche. Obv. Irish harp. Rev. Earl with drawn sword warns off groping English hand from coins on table, TOUCH NOT SAYS KILDARE, R. S. engraved in field. Dispute revolved over the still-existing Irish Parliament's determination to spend surpluses inside the country. Roche of King Street, Dublin, is credited as engraver of the VOCE POPULI tokens that circulated in the American Colonies. Eimer 650. Rare. EF/AU. 500
- 386 wd53612 **Italian States, Genoa**, 1698 IBM, Scudo. Grundy Collection. Virgin and child on cloud. Dav-3901, KM-79. NGC, EF40. 600
- 387 wd53556 **Mexico, CAROL III**, 1787 MO FM, 1 Escudo, KM-118.2a. NGC, AU58. 950
- 388 wd53637 **Mexico, Carlos y Juana** (1536-57), ND 4 Reales, 13.6g 35mm. Beautiful Rev. Crowned Pillars, doV PLV - SVL - TRA. HISPANIARVM ET INDIARVM Obv. Shield between G-M. CAROLVS ET IOHANA REGES. Fully round and large flan. Cayon-2651. CH EF. 1700
- 389 wd52057 **Netherlands**, 1609 Jeton, Old cleaning. Exhortation to Vigilance. 12 Year truce. Struck in Dordrecht. Dugn 3651. EF. 325
- 390 wd53635 **Peru, Lima, Felipe V**, 1733 N, 8 Escudos Cob 8, 26.8 grams. Bold EF with choice pillars-and-waves and cross-lions-castles. Here it should be noted that Taler lists 4 different varieties based on "distinct punctuation," i.e., the dots in and among the pillars-side elements, and the present specimen appears to be a variety that is unlisted, with a "high" dot to the left of the final 3 of the date. May have been mounted. Cayon-13045, KM-38.2. CH EF. 6500
- 391 wd53636 **Spain, Sevilla, Fernando V and Isabel I** (1476-1516), ND Seville, 2 Excelente, 6.7 g. 29mm, +FERNANDVS ET ELISABET DEI GRA crowned and mantled busts of Fernando and Isabel facing one another. SVB VNB ARVM TVARVN, crowned coat-of-arms, behind, eagle facing head left, with wings spread and wearing nimbus crown. Some cloudiness in the obverse legends. Boldly struck portraits and full flan. S at top with four points and patriarchal cross at bottom. A choice example of this popular gold type. Friedberg-129. Castile & Leon (Los Reyes Catolicos - the Catholic royals). CH EF/AU. 3700
- 392 wd50840 **Turkey, Ottoman Empire, Suleyman I** (1520-156) 926, Sultan, Halep (Aleppo). 400

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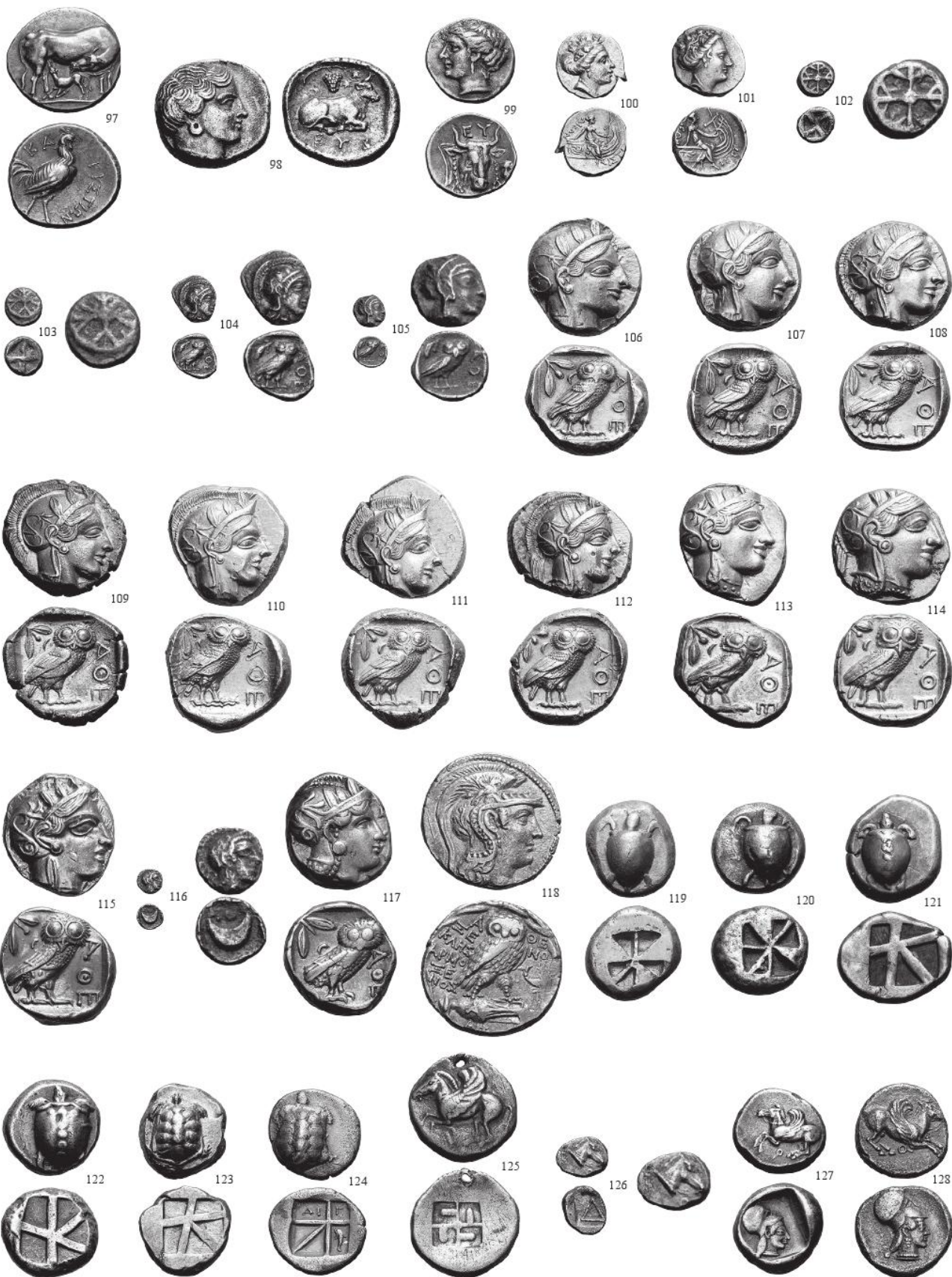
393. **MESOPOTAMIAN GREY LIMESTONE EYE IDOL**, ca. 3200 BC. A thick eye idol of rectangular form with the head distinctly modeled and the eyes biconically drilled. Rendered in a greyish limestone with dark red iron oxide staining. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 139, Lot 528, 2004. H. 1 1/8" W. 1 1/4" (2.9 cm x 3 cm). 300
394. **SUMERIAN JEMDAT NASR MARBLE ANIMAL STAMP SEAL**, ca. 3100 BC. The piece depicts a seated bull, its head turned forward and legs tucked underneath the body. The reverse stamp surface depicts two animals. Intact with overall surface abrasions, sandy beige color. L. 1 5/8" (4 cm). 650
395. **SUMERIAN JEMDAT NASR RED STONE BULL STAMP SEAL**, ca. 3100 BC. This nicely modeled animal stamp seal is carved in a red stone and depicts a recumbent bull, its head turned to the side with spiraling horns. The stamp portion is carved with two bull figures. L. 1 1/2" (3.8 cm). 650
396. **SUMERIAN JEMDAT NASR GREEN STONE SEATED SHEEP STAMP SEAL**, ca. 3000 BC. This stamp seal is delicately modeled out of a translucent green stone. The sheep is resting with its legs tucked underneath and the stamp surface is inscribed with abstract animal patterns. Chipping to the rear and edges of the animal. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 150, Lot 638, 2006. L. 1 1/2" (3.8 cm) 1000
397. **SUMERIAN JEMDAT NASR SEATED BLACK MARBLE BULL**, ca. 3000 BC. Representing a seated bull, its bodily features including hump and horns are well delineated. A rarer Jemdat Nasr type in excellent condition with light earthen encrustations. L. 1 3/8" (3.5 cm). 1250
398. **OLD BABYLONIAN CLAY CUNEIFORM DEDICATION CONE**, ca. 1953-1935 BC. Clay cone of King Ishme-Dagan of Isin. Clay cones or nails were inscribed with dedicatory inscriptions, in many hundreds of duplicates, and embedded in the walls of the building. All cones are hand written, but they all have the same distribution of text in columns and on lines, showing that they were all copied from a standard exemplar. The text is written around the shaft of the cone, in two columns of equal length, leaving the remainder of the cone blank. The text records the building of the wall of Isin by Ishme-Dagan. Translation as follows: "Ishme-Dagan, mighty man, King of Isin, King of the Four Quarters (of the world) when he canceled the tax of Nippur, the city beloved by Enlil, and excused its men from military service, he built the wall of Isin, naming it 'Ishme-Dagan is great' beside the god Enlil. This cone is in perfect condition. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 146, Lot 773, 2005. L. 4 7/8" (12.4 cm). 900
399. **BACTRIAN RED BRECCIA VESSEL**, ca. 1700 BC. This unusual vessel is carved out of an attractive deep red breccia with darker and lighter stones in the matrix. The piece has two pierced lug handles on either side of the circular well. The bottom is drilled through horizontally. Intact with general surface abrasions and a few chips. L. 1 3/4" H. 1 5/8" (4.5 cm x 4 cm). 550
400. **BACTRIAN SILVER DOG**, ca. 1200 BC. This wonderfully modeled dog stands foursquare with its head up and alert and its tail curled around in the distinctive fashion of this type of Bactrian dog. The dog's right foot is now missing, not pictured. L. 1 3/8" (3.5 cm). 800
- EGYPTIAN**
401. **RARE FAIENCE OVERSEER OR REIS USHABTI**, Third Intermediate Period, ca. 1085-715 BC. Blue faience figure of an overseer ushabti. He is shown striding, left leg forward, holding a flail in his right hand and left hand to his side. He wears a belted kilt with a triangular apron and a short wig. Blue glaze with dark detailing. A relatively rare ushabti type. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 148, Lot 456, 2006. H. 2 5/8" (6.5 cm). 500
402. **WOODEN MUMMY MASK**, Third Intermediate Period, ca. 1069-702 BC. Lips are fleshy, eyelids protrude slightly. An overall beautiful face with no restoration. In the Third Intermediate Period (21st - 25th Dynasty) the face plates on the sarcophagus were small and surrounded by a huge wig, however in later periods faces tended to get larger. H. 6 1/4" W. 4 1/2" (16 cm x 11.5 cm). 1250
403. **WOODEN MUMMY MASK**, Third Intermediate Period, ca. 1069-702 BC. Ancely carved example with a lovely profile. A beautiful piece despite a small crack through the left eye. H. 5". 1750
404. **LARGE POLYCHROME CARTONNAGE MASK**, Late to Ptolemaic Period, 715-30 BC. A very important part of the outer trappings of a mummy was a mask, placed over the head to provide an idealized image of the deceased as a resurrected

- being Masks functioned to provide physical protection but could also act as a substitute should the mummy's head be lost or damaged. This painted cartonnage mask was originally part of a four or six piece ensemble that may have included a mask, pectoral, apron and foot casing. Formed from linen or papyrus soaked in plaster, the technique is similar to that of modern papier mâché. The wet material was molded to fit the board mummy and the dried shell was then painted or gilded. In this case the classic Egyptian face is framed in a tripartite wig which alternates in bands of yellow and blue pigment, its sides turning into a painted beadwork pattern in registers of alternating triangle and squares. The piece retains much of its original bold coloring in red, yellow, green, blue, black and flesh tone pigments. Large classic Egyptian eyes outlined in heavy black. Intact and in generally very good condition with restoration to scattered areas with flaking. H. 17" (43 cm) 14000
405. **FAIENCE USHABTI**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. This ushabti has lost some of its blue-green glaze in the upper chest area, but retains a lovely light blue color throughout the torso and legs. Much of the detail on the frontal side has been preserved. On its back side, there is wear throughout the lower half, while part of neck and head has been chipped away. The inscription reads, "Illuminate the Osiris, the prophet of Amun, Psamtik-hotep, born of Meret-neb-es, true of voice". H. 3 3/4" (9.5 cm) 800
406. **FAIENCE FIGURE OF THE LION GOD MAHES**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. Pale green faience figure of the lion god Mahes. Whereas most lion-headed images represent female deities, such as Sekhmet, Bastet, or Mut, this faience figure depicts a bare-chested male divinity wearing a pleated kilt. Rare and large. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 145, Lot 562, 2004. H. 3 3/8" (8.6 cm) 800
407. **LIGHT GREEN HARE AMULET**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. An amulet most popular in the Late Period, this green-glazed faience hare has a suspension loop at the spine supporting its long erect ears. The hare, a desert dweller, was credited with powers of regeneration. Its swiftness of movement and the keenness of its senses were also well known. Proverbially known for its production of offspring, especially in abundance, the hare amulet could be worn in life to endow the wearer with fertility or rapidity of movement or in death with the hope of rebirth. L. 1" (2.5 cm) 250
408. **BLUE FAIENCE DOUBLE BA (SOUL BIRD) AMULET**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. Of faience, this amulet depicts two human-headed birds standing on a square base with sundisks atop their heads. Chipped to the base. An unusual amulet type. Ex Rockford College Art Collection. Ex Harlan J. Berk Ltd. BBS 152, Lot 398, 2006. H. 1 1/8" (2.9 cm) 300
409. **BLUE FAIENCE IBIS AMULET**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. The ibis is depicted seated with its long beak curling in front of the body and a suspension loop behind the head. Its beak and head are done in black. The ibis is regarded as an incarnation of the god Thoth and was considered sacred in ancient Egypt. Thoth was the Egyptian god of wisdom. Ex Rockford College Art Collection. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 152, Lot 402, 2006. L. 1 1/8" (2.9 cm) 350
410. **FAIENCE SOW AMULET**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. Modeled in bright turquoise faience. Suspension loop at the top of the piece intact. L. 1" (2.5 cm) 125
411. **FAIENCE HARE AMULET**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. Modeled in a rare light blue faience, the hare rests with its forelegs stretched before him. The long ears extend back over the body and his hind legs curl underneath him. Slight chip to the front of the rectangular base and left paw. Suspension loop underneath the ears. L. 1" (2.5 cm) 250
412. **RARE ROMAN OR HELLENISTIC EGYPTIAN BRONZE SEATED HARPOCRATES**, ca. 1st Century BC. This is a very interesting piece that well illustrates the blending of Egyptian and classical styles. Virtually complete with minor chipping and a heavy green patina. A wonderful combination of Classical and Egyptian style. A rare type. H. 2 1/8" (5.4 cm) 475
- CERAMICS**
413. **CORINTHIAN CERAMIC ARYBALLOS**, ca. 6th Century BC. A stylized lotus flower design in red and black decorates the body. Restoration on the lip and where lip meets the body. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 144, Lot 724, 2005. H. 2 1/2" (6.4 cm) 425
414. **MAGNA GRAECIA MINIATURE RED-FIGURE OINOCHOE**, ca. 4th Century BC. A charming little piece with an image of a lounging panther on one side. The squat base extends into the short neck with flaring lip. Single loop handle joins the neck and body. Minor chipping to the rim of the mouth. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 146, Lot 798, 2005. H. 2 1/4" (5.7 cm) 800
- BRONZES**
415. **MESOPOTAMIAN BRONZE EAGLE**, ca. 1500 BC. This bronze depicts an eagle or bird of prey in Babylonian style with a heavy body and very thick legs, its wings outstretched and wearing a circular disc. Heavy light green patina with earthen admixture. The wing tip is broken off of one wing and half of the other wing is missing. Mounted. H. 2 5/8" (6.5 cm) 400
416. **PERSIAN CENTRAL IRANIAN BRONZE BULL**, ca. 1500 BC. The bull stands foursquare with abstractly modeled features. Green and black patina. Ex Midwest Collection formed before 1967. L. 2 1/8" (5.4 cm) 350
417. **AMLASH BRONZE BULL**, ca. 1000 BC. This abstractly modeled bull stands foursquare with its head held up with long curling horns above. It has a thick dark green olive patination with earthen encrustation. The very tip of the tail is broken. A nice example of a larger Amlash bull. L. 2 1/2" (6 cm) 525
418. **IRANIAN BRONZE BULL**, ca. 800 BC. This bull, coming from the Amlash region of Iran, is in unusually good condition. It stands foursquare with a nicely modeled head and curling horns. Earthen green patination. L. 2 1/16" (5.2 cm) 350
419. **GREEK GEOMETRIC BRONZE BIRD**, ca. 8th Century BC. Bronze votives were usually hung from trees in sacred precincts. Large loop for suspension. Olive and light green patination with some areas of incrustation. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 148, Lot 571, 2006. H. 2 1/4" (5.7 cm) (6.4 cm x 3.8 cm) 250
420. **GREEK BRONZE GEOMETRIC BIRD**, ca. 8th Century BC. Bronze votives were usually hung from trees in sacred precincts. Large loop for suspension. Olive green patina and some incrustation. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 141, Lot 810, 2005. H. 1 7/16" (3.6 cm) 300
421. **IBERIAN BRONZE LION LATCH**, ca. 5th to 4th Century BC. A reclining lion handsomely modeled with crisp detail, the circular eyes incuse. H. 1 1/2" (3.8 cm) 650
422. **ROMAN BRONZE RESTING DOG**, ca. 2nd Century AD. This is a wonderful little piece representing a dog seated in a playful position with its tail curled up. It has a thick green patina with spots of earthen encrustation and is fully intact. Most likely a toy. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 149, Lot 553, 2006. L. 1 1/4" (3 cm) 300
423. **ROMAN BRONZE RECLINING PANTHER**, ca. 2nd Century AD. The recumbent panther holds its head upright, alert and to the left. The panther's tail curls up over the body and down the left haunch. The feline has large oval eyes and rounded concave ears projecting diagonally backward from the crown of the head. Incision marks the lips, muzzle, eyes, pupils and hair encircling the face and paws. L. 2" (5 cm) 750
424. **SYRO-PALESTINIAN BRONZE FLASK**, ca. 3rd-5th Century AD. A beautiful little bronze vessel in the shape of an acorn. Small chip to the lip. Ex Brooklyn Museum. H. 2 1/8" (5.4 cm) 650
425. **PERSIAN SELJUK BRONZE BIRD**, ca. 13th Century AD. This is a well modeled Seljuk bird. It stands with its two legs slightly bent looking straight with its tail delicately modeled with curling feathers. Pierced for mounting as a finial. H. 3" (7.6 cm) 525
- GLASS**
426. **ROMAN SUPERB GREEN GLASS MINIATURE PITCHER**, ca. 2nd Century AD. This beautiful little vessel has a squat body with pinched lip and ear shaped handle. The piece is beautifully modeled by Roman glass standards and is in good condition with minor earthen encrustation. Fracture in the base. H. 2 1/8" (5.4 cm) 175
427. **ISLAMIC GREEN GLASS JAR**, ca. 8th-10th Century AD. A nicely shaped, thick-walled, ribbed globular vessel. Areas of beautiful bright green and violet iridescence on the surfaces. The top has been filed down. Ex Rockford College Art Collection. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 152, Lot 517, 2006. H. 1 5/8" (4 cm) 150
- ASIAN**
428. **JAPANESE MEIJI IVORY ELEPHANT**, ca. 19th Century AD. The elephant, carved from different sections of ivory and inlaid with semi-precious gems once stood as the base for a bodhisattva. Minor age cracks, most of the gems intact. Signed. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. Buy or Bid Sale 141, Lot 846, 2004. L. 2 7/8" H. 2 1/4" (7.3 cm x 5.7 cm) 450
- MAPS**
- Lots 429-445 are all by Tomaso Poracchi dated 1574, Venice. All maps are roughly the same size as lot 429.**
429. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - ARCIPELAGO** By: Tomaso Poracchi Date: 1574 (published) Venice. Dimensions: 10.5 x 7 inches (26.7 x 17.8 cm) This is an authentic antique map of Greece and it's archipelago by Tomaso Poracchi. The map was published in the book *L'Isola piu Famose del Mondo* in Venice, circa 1576. This map of Greece and the archipelago exhibits lovely old coloring over sharp impressions. Cities, towns and islands are noted throughout the map. Mountains, river, and lakes are engraved as well. In the lower left, a sample title cartouche features two nude female figures flanking the title "Arcipelago". The map itself is about 4.25 x 5.5 inches on a page that includes Italian text. Condition: This authentic antique map is in B+ condition with a spot of printer's ink residue and marginal soiling. 250
430. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - IL SITO DE' CURZOLARI** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B condition with small cracks that have been repaired on the verso with archival tape. 200
431. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - CROFU** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B+ condition with light soiling and some ink spots. 250
432. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - NEGROPONTE** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B condition some writing outside the image and an impressive series of minute pinholes that trace the major coastlines. Hole are only visible from the verso of when held up to a light. 250
433. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - MOREA PENISOLA** By: Tomaso Poracchi Condition: This authentic antique map is in B condition some light soiling, a stain in the ocean, and a few wormholes in the text below the map. 250
434. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - MILO** This map of Milos exhibits lovely old color. Cities, towns and other smaller islands are noted throughout. Curious sea creatures and a baroque style cartouche add decorative elements to the map. Condition: This authentic antique map is in B condition some light soiling, and a few small wormholes in the left margin and image. 225
435. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - ZANIE** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B+ condition some light soiling, and a printer's crease above the compass rose. 225
436. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - SCARPANTO** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B+ condition some light soiling, and a wormhole in the text. 250
437. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - RHODI** Condition: This authentic antique map is in A condition some light soiling ink notations below the text. 250
438. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - CANDIA** Condition: This authentic antique map is in C condition with light soiling, show-through of manuscript ink on verso, and a worm track in text below map. There is an old paper repair in right blank margin. 10.5 x 7 inches (26.7 x 17.8 cm) 225
439. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - SANTORINI** Condition: This authentic antique map is in A condition with some light soiling. 250
440. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - STALIMENE** Condition: This authentic antique map is in A condition with some light soiling. 250
441. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - METELLINO** Condition: This authentic antique map is in A condition with some light soiling and writing in the text below the image. 250
442. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - SCIO** Condition: This authentic antique map is in A condition with some light soiling. 225
443. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - NICSIA** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B+ condition with a few small worm holes in map at left and an old paper repair in left blank margin. 225
444. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - CEFALONIA** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B+ condition with light soiling, a small worm hole and ink stains in text below map. 225
445. **EUROPE SOUTHERN GREECE - CERIGO** Condition: This authentic antique map is in B+ condition with light soiling with a worm track in text below map. 225
446. **EUROPE TABULA ITINERARIA EX ILLUSTRIT PEUTINGERORUM BIBLIOTHECA... NOBILISSIMO VIRO MARCO VELSERO (THE PEUTINGER TABLE)** By: Abraham Ortelius Date: 1598 (dated) Antwerp, 1624 (published) Leiden. Dimensions: 15.5 x 20.5 inches (39.4 x 52.1 cm) This is an authentic antique map of the Roman Empire printed on four separate sheets by Abraham Ortelius. The map was published by Balthasar Moretus in Ortelius' Peragon in 1624. In a sequence of four plates, each with two strips, these decorative maps depict the imperial roads and posts within the Roman Empire throughout Europe, North Africa and Asia. The maps begin as far west as the British Isles and extend to the way east to Tophobana or present day Sri Lanka. The three most important cities of the Roman Empire, Rome, Constantinople and Antioch, are represented by enlarged symbols including the emperor or seated on a throne. The cartographic style used to create this map of the Roman Empire from 250 - 500 AD can best be described as a practical route map in strip form. While distances between towns and posts are clearly represented, the lack of direction and accurate shape to the land distort the map leaving a certain amount of study needed to fully comprehend the work. The original manuscript for this amazing map was made up of 12 sections in roll form and is believed to have been made at Colmar in 1265. It measures over twenty-two feet and is currently held in the Österreichische Nationalbibliothek in Vienna, Austria. The name "Peutinger Table" derives from Konrad Peutinger, a German humanist from the 1500s that has been declared as the original owner of the manuscript. Ortelius had manuscript copies made in 1598 from the original scroll and supervised the engraving, but did not live to see their publication. This is the Peragon edition with Latin text on verso, printed by Balthasar Moretus and published in 1624. Ref: Shirley Mapping of the World, No. 212 Condition: Map is in B+ condition. Watermarked paper with attractive color, light soiling, a faint damp stain along centerfold at top, and professional repairs to some centerfold separations. There are tears that enter map image 1" at bottom on 1st sheet, 2" at top on 2nd sheet, and 1/2" at bottom on 4th sheet that have all been professionally repaired. For larger images please send request to Sammy@hjbld.com 9500























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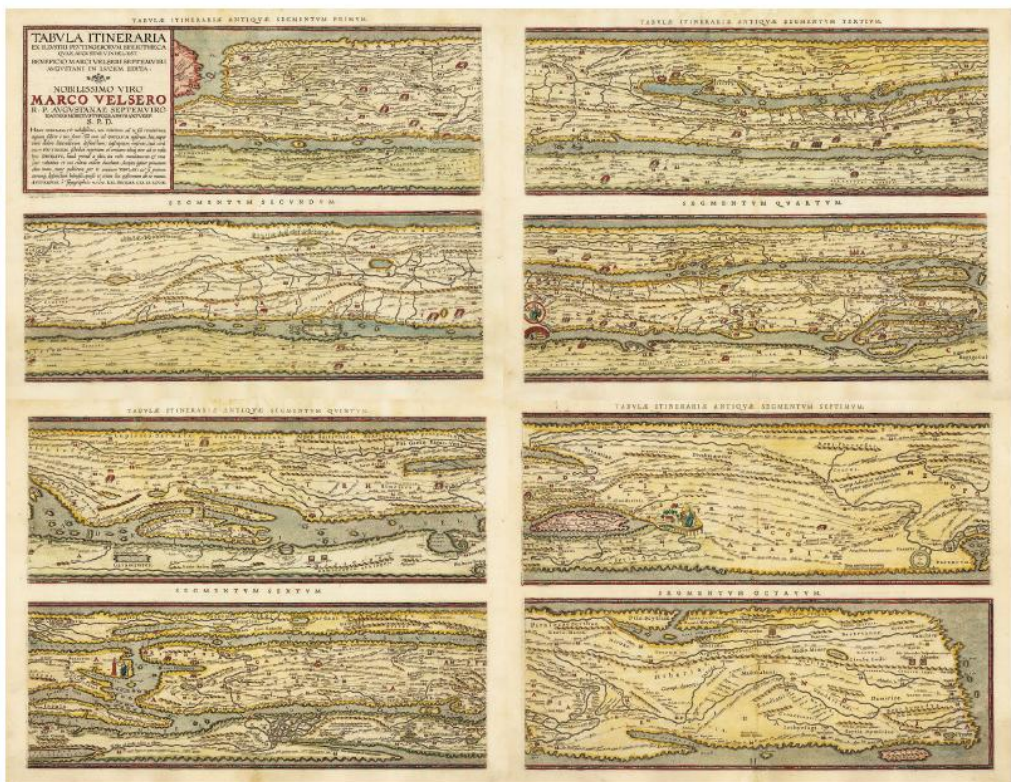
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